Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

NAR. EDMUND SINGLETON

WHEALLER has This Day ASSUMED

CHARGE of our Business in this Colony,

and is authorized to Sien our Firm per

NOTICE.

URING the Absence of the Under-

been appointed Acting CHIEF MAYAGER

NOTIOE

TURING the Absence of our Mr. C.

D. BOTTOMLEY, Mr. THOMAS

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

EDMUND DAVIES is authorized to Sign

NOTICE.

T HAVE This Day RE-ESTABLISHED

HE RICHMOND TERRACE ESTATE

AND BUILDING COMPANY,

LIMITED.

AR. JOHN WILLMOTT is appointed

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

IVI NOUGH is appointed Secretary of

the above-named Company and is authorized

Intimations.

NOTICE.

TIHE POSTMASTER GENERAL acknowledges

KARBERG & Co. of ONE HUNDRED

DOLLARS in lieu of penalty for the des-

patch of the S.S. Memling to Newchwang,

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE

and after SUNDAY. 4th Instant,

the Price of ICE will be ONE CENT

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

THE KORSCHELT ICE DEPOT.

TATE Have This Day been appointed

DEPOT and are Now READY to SUPPLY

ICE from our Depôt, Peddar's Street (near

the Honokone Horer), in quantities from

5lbs, and upwards, at the Rate of ONE

CENT per to., offering special arrangements

The Blocks of Ice weighing up to 700lbs.

each are specially adapted for shipping

THE LEE YUEN SUGAR REFINING

LIQUIDATION.

THE LIQUIDATORS are prepared to

CHASE of the LAND, BUILDINGS,

MACHINERY, and FIXTURES of THE

All Tenders should be enclosed in an

Envelope endorsed Tender TOR PUR-

CHASE OF LEE YUEN,' and addressed to the

Liquidators of the LEE YUEN SUGAR REFIN-

ING COMPANY, and must be placed in the

hands of C. Ewens, Solicitor to the Liquida-

ors, with a Deposit of \$20,000, before 3

o'dLock, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day

after 3 o'clock on the 21st day of April.

contained in such form.

LEE YUEN SUGAR REFERING COMPANY.

receive TENDERS for the PUR-

COMPANY, LIMITED, IN

F. BLACKHEAD & Co.,

YY AGENTS for the KORSCHELT ICE

General Managers.

WITHOUT NOTICE to the Post Office.

General Post Office.

Hongkong, April 3, 1886.

Hongkong, April 2, 1886.

Hongkong, April 1, 1886.

PER POUND.

L the RECEIPT from Messrs, AnnHOLD.

SECRETARY of the above-named

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS,

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS.

General Manager.

General Manager.

the Name of GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

myself in Business at this Port, under

GEO. R. STEVENS,

Pedder's Street.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, March 30, 1886.

our Firm per Procuration,

Hongkong, March 16, 1886.

Hongkong, March 24, 1886,

Hougkong, April 2, 1880.

Hongkong Dispensary.

3rd April, 1886.

Stock, carrying interest from date of ARR. HARRY ARNOLD WOOL.

Interest Coupons attached, on the | to Sign for it in that Capacity.

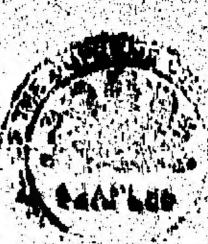
signed, Mr. JOHN WALTER has

Hongkong, April 3, 1886.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager.



Vol. XLII. No. 7077.

Leadenhall Street.

bourne and Sydney.

& Co. Manila

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's

Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE

STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON

& Gorch, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES

HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C.

SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154,

& Co. 36. Rue Lafayette, Paris.

NEW YORK:-Andrew Wind, 21, Park

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports

CHINA: - Macao, F. A. DE CRUE. Swa-

-tow, Quelon & Co. Amoy, Wilson,

NICHOLLS & Co. Foothow, HEDGE &

Co. Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD &

Corrand Ketty & Walsh, Yokohama,

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY

Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

CORPORATION. LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £2,000,000

PATD-UP.....£ 500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE,

40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON.

In India, China, Japan and the Colonies.

THE Bank RECEIVES Money on Deposit

issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for

Collection, and transacts Banking and

Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

Balances of such Claims, purchased

multiple of \$100.

Hongkong, February 15, 1886.

Reserve Fund,....

RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION

OF DIVIDENDS....

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-

H. L. DALRYMPLE,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman-A. Molvan, Esq.

Deputy Chairman-M. Geore, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

AN Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily

For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

and every description of Banking and

Credits granted on approved Securities,

Drafts granted on London, and the

chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

Hongkong, February 27, 1886. 402

NOTICE

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG

SAVINGS' BANK.

1.-The business of the above Bank will

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4.—Interest at the rate of 3} per cent. per

6.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis

annum will be allowed to depositors on

with a Pass-Book which must be pre-

sented with each payment or with-

drawal. Depositors must not make

any entries themselves in their Pass-

Books but should send them to be

written up at least twice a year, about

the beginning of January and begin-

the Bank if marked On Hongkong

Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free

by the various British Post Offices in

but the personal attendance of the

depositor or his duly appointed agent,

and the production of his Pass-Book

6.- Correspondence as to the business of

7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand.

in any one year.

their daily balances.

ning of July.

be conducted by the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their

premises in Hongkong. Business hours

on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10

at one time will not be received. No

depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

Australia, America, China and Japan,

4 per cent.

T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager.

5 per cent, u

For Fixed Deposits:-

Exchange business transacted.

D. BOTTOMLEY, E. H. M. HUNTING-

TON, EBQ.

Hon. W. KESWICK,

A. P. McEwen, Esq.

Hon, F. D. SAESOON.

whatever.

APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL

1.—By an immediate Payment in Cash of

2.-At 100 %, Payment being made in

--- Bully paid Scrip of the Corporation's

31 per cent. Perpetual Bebenture

issue, and exchangeable for Stock

Warrants of \$100 with Half-Yearly

Scrip being made up to any even

H. A. HERBERT,

Hongkong Branch.

Manager,

\$ 500,000

87,500,000

Holders of this Stock incur no liability

not less than 90 % for the whole

BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the Company.

buys and sells Bills of Exchange.

ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTCH, Mel-

generally:-Bean & Black, San Fran-

Co., Square, Singapore. C. Heinszen

PARIS AND EUROPE :- AMEDEI PRINCE | Procuration.

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :- SAYLE & of the Corporation.

號六月四年六十八百八千一英

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1886.

Established February, 1848,

Intimations.

SUMMER GOODS.

ENTLEMEN'S UNDER-SHIRTS and DRAWERS. Fancy Thread and Cotton HALF-HOSE.

Business Notices.

New Lawn Tennis JERSEYS. Fancy Silk Tennis SHIRTS.

The Newest Cambric SCARF and TIES Washing Silk Summer SCARFS.

Men's Bathing DRAWERS and DRESSES. Ladies' Bathing COSTUMES and Bath WRAPS. Turkish Bath BLANKETS and TOWELS. Single and Double 'Terai' HATS.

> Felt HATS in new shapes. Pith Sun HATS and HELMETS.

> > New PUGGARIES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

AIR CUSHIONS—all sizes.

Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horses in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

Hongkong, April 6, 1886.

TEW Choquered DRESS MATERIALS. LeadingColours in Brocaded SATEENS. Novelties in White Dress Goods. Ladies' Underclothing, Lace Trimmed. ESMERALDA and COMPRESSOR CORSETS. Children's Consers. Ladies' and Children's STRAW HATS.

Tower's and BATH BLANKETS. MACINTOSH COATS and CHAIR APRONS. Ladies' and Gentlemen's UMBRELLAS. Gentlemen's STRAW HATS. Gentlemen's Calcutta PITH HATS. TABLE LINEN—all widths. Infant's Corrow and Sun Hars. NAPRINS and KITCHEN CLOTHS. LAGE CURTAINS-3, 4, 41 and 5 yards. BATHING DRAWERS and SWIMMING BELTS. AGENTS for ROSENKRANZ CELEBRATED PIANOS. W. POWELL & Co.

VIOTORIA EXCHANGE, March 18, 1886.

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

SPRING GOODS,

which they will be prepared to SHOW on and after

Monday, April 5th.

Hongkong, April 3, 1866.

BOOKS OF GAMES AND SPORT

T)ROCTOR'S 'How to play Whist,' 'Lawn Tennis,' by Lieut. S. C. F. Peile. Home Whist,' by Five of Clubs.

How to play Poker. Cavendish on Whist.' 'The American Hoyle' (best book of games printed).

'Col. Drayson on Whiat.' Walker's The Correct Card, or How to play Whist. 'Whist Developments,' by Cavendish.

Pole's 'The Theory of Whist.' American Whist, by J. W. P. Dufton on Billiards. Bennett on Billiards.

Modern Billiards,' by Collender.

Morseman's 'Instructions for Games with Cards and Dice.' Gossip's 'Chess Player's Manual.' Staunton's 'Chess Player's Companion, Staunton's 'Chess Player's Hand-book.' Stonehenge's 'British Rural Sports.' 'The Cream of Leicestershire, by Copt.

Pennell-Elmhurst. 'The Coaching Age,' by Stanley Harris. 'Modern Wild Fowling,' by Wild Fowler. 'Horses and Roads,' by Free Lance. Stonehenge's 'The Horse in the Stable and the Field.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONOKONG.

Intimations.

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY LIMITED.

The Tenders will not be opened until CHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that on Presentation of their SHARE Depositors in the Savings' Bank having The Liquidators will accept the highest CERTIFICATES at the HEAD-OFFICE of ERNMENT HOUSE has been Freeze with this Company, NEW ONES will be ESUED with the above. their option transfer the same to the \$190,000 and provided also it is on a form in Exchange, in accordance with the Resowhich can be obtained at the Office of C. lution recently passed.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

HONGKONG STEAM BAKERY.

NOTICE.

TAROM 1st March the Price for FIRST

QUALITY HOUSEHOLD BREAD

DORABJEE NOWROJEE

Hongkong, July 27, 1885.

will be Five Cents per Pound.

General Agents.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corwhich can be obtained at the Office of C. poration on fixed deposit for 12 months Ewens, at 45, Queen's Read, Hongkong, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., and it is in accordance with the conditions General Managers. Hongkong, March 31, 1896. The Purchaser must also purchase the COAL, ANIMAL CHARCOAL, and OFFICE FUR. NOTICE. NITURE, and Spare Machinery, and Stores

in the Godown (which are not included in HOR the Convenience of Customers, the the Tender) at Invoice Prices.

Productions of the China Sugar The Purchaser must also take over from REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can hencedate of Sale, the liability of the Company forward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR under the Contract with the English Sugar CASH, at No. 3, PEEL STREET, at the same Boiler of the Company who has been en- prices as at the REFINERY; or Retail gaged for a term expiring in February, 1887. Orders will be delivered at addresses in The Refinery is most favourably situated town on applicants forwarding their Monthly occupying almost 100,000 square feet of Requirements in writing direct to the ground by the side of Bowrington Canal REFINERY at East Point,

and close to the Harbour, The whole of the Buildings and Machinery are in expellent order, a large portion of the Plant and Machinery having nover been used. The Refinery is capable of refining 1,200

piculs of Raw Sugar per day. Dated this Eighteenth day of March, 1886.

ANDREW JOHNSTON. LAU WAI CHUN 劉 渭 川. LI KING TING 李敬淳. Liquidators,

THE HARDEN STAR HAND

Intimations.

GRENADE FIRE EXTINGUISHER. BY Order of H.E. the OFFICER Administering the Government, GOV.

E. CLARK Agent. Hongkong Hotel. Hongkong, March 22, 1886.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF, GODOWN AND CARGO-BOAT COMPANY.

THE Company will receive STEAMERS and SAILING VESSELS alongside their 574 Wharves at Kowloon, and Land, Re-ship, and/or Store GENERAL CARGOES, SILE, OPIUM, COTTON, GRAIN OF MERCHANDISE in First-Class Granite Godowns at Cheap Rates. Also Coars in specially constructed Sheds. For the convenience of Commanders and Storers the Company's launch Hongkong will A Soon Sons & Co., on convey to and fro those interested FREE OF CHARGE, starting from the Pedder's Wharf EVERY HOUR from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m., and

hour. For further Particulars, apply to W. KERFOOT HUGHES,

Pedder a btreet. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

TIENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned on or before the 8th Instant, for the Conveyance to Malta, of the Undermentioned COMBUSTIBLE STORES, under the Regulations for H.M. Transport Service.

FILLED CARTRIDGES, 40 Tons. Do. SHELL, 16½ n The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted. W. H. LOBB,

Naval Storckeeper. H. M. Naval Yard. Hongkong, 3rd April, 1886.

IMPLOYMENT WANTED by an Eng. LISHMAN of long Experience in the Colony. Competent Accountant and Con-RESPONDENT. Address, 'ALPHA,' Office of this Paper. Hongkong, March 22, 1886.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COM-PANY, LIMITED.

YOTICE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Re-GISTERED OFFICE of the above Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of April, 1886, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolutions proposed and passed at the last Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 3rd day of April, 1886.

FOTICE is hereby given that, the aforesaid Resolutions being duly Confirmed, an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICE of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of April, 1886, at a Quarter-past-three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Passing a Special Resolution to empower the Board of Directors to sub-divide the present Shares of \$100 each of the Company into Shares of **82**0 each.

By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD,

Secretary. Hongkong, April 3, 1886.

Auctions.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION Suit No. 233 of 1882.

TTO BE SOLD, pursuant to an Order of of Tso Tsun Show persus Tso Lar Tong and Yap Sum Tin, on the 16th February 1886, with the Approval of the CHIEF JUSrice, by Mr. J. M. ARMSTRONG, the person appointed by the said Court, on

WEDNESDAY,

THE 7th APRIL, 1886,-Lot 1.-ALL THOSE PIECES OF PAR-Victoria, and registered in the LAND OFFICE as INLAND LOT No. 37, and 9 a.m. INLAND LOT No. 518. Together with the MESSUAGES and BUILD. INGS now or formerly known as Nos. 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210 & 212 QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, Nos. 202, 204, 206, 208, 210 and 212, having recently been burnt, and No. 200 damaged by fire.

The whole Premises are held for the residues now to come and unexpired of two several terms of 999 years granted by Two several Indentures of Crown CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Lease of the said Lots respectively. Annual Crown Rents, \$108.19 and \$16.82.

Lot 2.-ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, situate at Victoria, and registered in the Land Office as Remaining Portion of INLAND LOT No. 453. Together with the MESSUAGES known as Nos. 262 and 264, QUEEN's ROAD WEST, and No. 29, FIRST STREET. The whole of the Premises are held for the

residue of a term of 999 years. Annual Crown Rent 884, half of which is payable by the owner of Section A of the Said Lot.

Premises will be sold subject to a Lease for a year at a monthly Rental of \$125 and Tures.

Lot 3.-ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEI

OF GROUND, situated at Victoria, and Registered in the LAND OFFICE as INLAND LOT No. 327. Together with the BUILDINGS and EREC-TIONS thereon known as No. 58, JARDINE BAZAAR. The Premises are held for the residue of

term of 75 years from the 7th day of June. 1847. Annual Crown Rent \$16.

Lors 1 and 2 will be sold on the respective Premises, Lor 1 at 3 o'clock, Lor 2 immediately after the Sale of Lor 1, and Lor 3 at the Rooms of the Auc- at 3 p.m. tioneer, QUEEN's ROAD, at the Close of the Sale of Lor 2. Particulars and Conditions of Sale may be had of

CREASY EWENS, Solicitor. No. 45, Queen's Road, DENNYS & MOSSOP, Solicitors

No. 43, Queen's Road. of the Augrionees, at No. 49, Queen's Road.

Dated this 19th day of March, 1886. PUBLIC AUCTION. A T the Offices of Messrs. DAVID' SAS-

WEDNESDAY, -the 14th April, at 8 o'Clock p.m.,-

Ports on THURSDAY, the 15th April, at from the Wharf at Kowloon at the half- INLAND LOT 623, 'BISNEE VILLA,' Porrootum: Area Ten Acres. Lease, unexpired term of 999 years. Crown tion for First-class Passengers. Rent, \$48 per annum. For Freight or Passage, apply to

H. N. MODY, Auctioneer. Hongkong, March 22, 1886. Hongkong, March 29, 1886.

日三初月三年戌丙

Shipping.

Steamers,

FOR SHANGHAL

Port on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Instant, at

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAL

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates

for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-

CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on

the YANGTSZE.)

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 5, 1886.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

Diamanie,
Capt. McCasum, will be

Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Inst., at

-OGEAN-STEAMSHIP-COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

places on THURSDAY, the 8th Instant, at

LIMITED.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 5, 1886.

WEDNESDAY, the 7th Instant.

Hongkong, April 2, 1886.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, April 1, 1886.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 5, 1886.

THURSDAY, the 8th Instant,

Hongkong, April 2, 1886.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG, VIA

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA.

Capt. A. B. MAOTAVISH, will be despatched for the

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN

STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED.

ADELAIDE, VIA SINGAPORE

AND JAVA,

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEEN

LAND PORTS, and taking through

Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TAS.

MANIA, &c.)

The Steamship

RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents.

above Ports on TUESDAY, the 13th Inst.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 5, 1886.

Hongkong, March 80, 1886.

SUEZ CANAL

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

The Steamship

ADAMSON, BELL & Co..

The Steamship

Arratoon Appar.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates

for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-

Ports on the YANGTSZE.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

General Managers.

The Co.'s Steamship

despatched for the above

RUSSELL & Co.,

The Co.'s Steamship

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

A. McIVER

Superintendent,

General Managers.

The Co.'s Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 5, 1886.

The Steamship

SIEMSSEN & Co.

Capt. GARDOQUI, will be dospatched for the above

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The 2/3 L.1.1. American Ship John Currier. J. B. BLETHEN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

PRICE, \$2 PRE MONTH.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 26, 1886. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The *AA 1 British Barque W. Malcolm, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

Notices to Consignees. Captain Hogg, will be despatched as above on the Instant, at 4 p.m

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

THE Steamship Gleneagles having arrived 1 from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 11 a.m. To-MORROW, the 6th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1886. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA

THE S.S. Arratoon Apoar having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in Patrocius,
Capt. Thompson, will be
despatched as above on their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk

and expense, and no Fire Insprance will be Consignees are hereby informed that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 10th Instant.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, April 5, 1886. will leave for the above STEAMSHIP IRAOUADDY.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, ex Steamship Gange, in

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, The Co.'s Steamship whence delivery may be obtained imme-Captain Harris, will be despatched for the above

distely after landing. Optional Cargo will beforwarded on unless Ports on THURSDAY, the 8th Instant, at intimation is received from the Consignees before 10 a.m. To-DAY (Monday), requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Leding will be countersigned by he Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Mox-DAY, the 12th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at 1 cent per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or

before WEDNESDAY, the 14th Instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent Hongkong, April 5, 1886. Achilles,
Capt. Anderson, will be
despatched as above on NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. GHAZEE, FROM GLASGOW.

LIVERPOOL, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned.

at Wanchai, behind the premises known as No. 3, 'Blue Buildings,' whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-DAY.

J. DANCASTEE, Com'der, will be despatched for No Claims will be admitted after the the above Ports on or about the 12th April Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 10th Instant will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 10th April, 1886, or they will not be

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 3, 1886, SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. PEMBROKESHIRE, FROM

HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON & SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai, behind the premises known as No. 3. Blue Buildings, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before

Noon To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 7th Instant will be Captain Erris, will be subject to rent, at the rate of one cent per despatched for the above package per day. All Claims against the Steamer most be presented to the Undersigned on or before

This Steamer has excellent Accommode- the 7th April, 1886, or they will not be No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkops, April 1, 1886,

Hongkong, May 7, 1885.

Ohief Manager.

HONGRONG & SHANGHAY BANKING

T. JACKBON

CORPORATION.

longkong and China.

are necessary."

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. MHIARINI'S GRAND VICTORIA EXCHANGE. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

SALE THE FOLLOWING STORES.

York HAMS. Roll BUTTER. Topocan BUTTER. French BUTTER EPP's COCOA.

VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. Picnic TONGUES. MACKEREL in 5th Tine. RAISINS and CURRANTS Crystallized FRUITS.

SAVORY & MOORE'S New Infant FOOD. BARNES & Co.'s JAMS. Potted MEATS PATE DE FOIS GRAS. Swiss MILK.

BORDEN'S

CONDENSED MILK COOKING STOVES.

KEROSINE LAMPS. WINES, &c.

GILBEY'S Sparkling SAUMUR, Pts. & Qts. SACCONE'S MANZANILLA. SACCONE'S Old Invalid PORT. Old Bourbon WHISKY. BURRE'S Old Irish W.HISKY. Royal Glandes WHISKY. MARSALA.

&c.,

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

&c., &c.

OILMAN'S STORES.

Lowest Possible Prices FOR CASH.

Macewen, frickel & Co.

Hongkong, February 10, 1886.

Entertainments. ROYAL,

CITY HALL. Manager. - - - NIEL O'BRIEN.

 $oldsymbol{Patron}$: His Excellency the Officer Administer-

ING THE GOVERNMENT. THE HON. W. H. MARSH, C.M.G. ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION

MASCOTTE' OPERA COMPANY THIS EVENING,

the 6th April, 1886.

POSITIVELY THE LAST TIME OF GILBERT AND SULLIVAN'S COMIC OPERA MIKADO. THE

LAST TIME (MIRADO MIKADO MIKADO MIKADO 'THE MIKADO,' MIKADO MIRADO

Signor M. A. VALENZA By kind permission of Colonel Foster and Officers, the Band of the 58th Regt. will play Appropriate Selections dur-

ing the evening. Doors open at 8, 30. Overture at 9 precisely. Box Plan at Kelly & Watsh's (Limited)

Hongkong, April 6, 1886.

CITY HALL WHE HONGKONG AMATEU DRAMATIC CLUB

Have the honor to announce that THE THIRD PERFORMANCE Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld. .. 8,000\$ OF THE SEASON, will take place TO-MORROW,

the 7th April, 1886, at 9 p.m., When will be produced A COMEDY BY J. PALGRAVE SIMPSON.

'HEADS or TAILS,'

THE SUCCESSFUL FARCE CHISELLING.

The proceeds of this Performance will devoted to Public CHARTY.

Tickets (\$2 each) may be obtained from Messis. Lane, Chawford & Co.'s, on and after Friday, 2nd April, at 9 a.m. H. M. THOMSETT.

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, April 6, 1886. HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY.

CONCERT in aid of the Funns of the CHY HALL, will be given on WED. NESDAY EVENING, 14th Instant. Further Particulars will be announced:

Hongkong, April 8, 1888.

CIRCUS -AND MENAGERIE

WILL POSITIVELY GIVE ITS FIRST GRAND PERFORMANCE, TO-MORROW EVENING.



Under VastlWaterproof Pavilions.

Seats for 5,000 Porsons.

MOVEL AND ASTOUNDING FEATS OF HORSEMANSHIP. Graceful and Elegant Acts of Equitation,

Never-ending Variety of Programme by the GREAT TROUPE AND THE MATCHLESS STUD OF TRAINER

> HORSES! A Great Wild Beast Show.

Ponderous Den of Royal AFRICAN LIONS, exhibited by the Lion King, Mr. James Frame, who onters the

THE FIRST EVER BROUGHT TO HONGKONG OR THE FAR EAST.

To Behold this Sensational Feature of the Exhibition is alone worth the Price of Admission.

Ponderous Den of Royal BENGAL TIGERS, exhibited by Mr. JAMES FRAME, who enters the den.

Living Educated PERFORMING ELE-PHANTS, from Ceylon. ZEBUS or SAORED CATTLE from India.

The WONDERFUL CYNOCEPHALUS that rides like a man. Huge Living SERPENTS, and Jockey Riding MONKEYS, &c.

By kind permission of Colonel Fostas and Officers, the Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment will play at each perform-

ADMISSION Boxes for 6 Porsous. -Dress Circle. 🖫 -Stalls (Carpeted Seats),

Children under Ten. Soldiers under the Rank of Officers half-price except to Boxes.

Pit Seats has been arranged for NATIVE LADIES, (To which they only are admitted).

A Plan of the Seats can be seen at the Hongkong Horer, where Tickets will be on Sale daily from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m., accommodating Parties who may wish to secure Seats in advance. -:0:-

THIS GIGANTIC SHOW -5.5 WILL PERFORM

EVERY NIGHT, Doors open at 8 o'clock, commencing at 9.

And on SATURDAY AFTERNOON. Doors open at 3 o'clock, commencing at 4.

L. MAYA,

Hongkong, April 6, 1886. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

LIMITED. *FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND

TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Chartered Steamship Carisbrooke, Captain Cass, will. despatched for the above Ports on SUN-DAY, the 11th Instant, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, April 6, 1886.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 50,000 \$

North-China Insurance Co., Ld...... 5,000 £

Yangtaza Insurance Company, Ld.... 8,000 £

Union Insurance Society Co., Ld.... 2,000 \$

China Traders' Insurance Co., Ld.... 24, 000 \$

Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld.... 10,000 &

Chinese Insurance Co., Limited...... 1,500 \$

China Bire Insurance Co., Ld......20,000 \$

Douglas Steamship Co., Limited 20,000 \$

Indo-Ohina S. N. Company, Limited 18, 387 £

China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld. 3,500 \$

H'keng & Whampon Dock Co., Ld. 10,000 \$ HK. and China Gas Co., Limited. \ 5,000 £

Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt. . . 2,000 3

China Sugar Company, Limited..... 9,000 & Hongkong Ice Company, Limited.... 1,250 \$ Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld.,... 600 \$

Luzon Sugar Company, Limited.... 7,000 \$
Perak Tin Mining & Sting Co...... 5,000 \$

Selangore Tin Mining Co. (S'hai)..... 2,500 \$

Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samatan 40,000 8

H'kong Rope Mannfectory Co., Ld. 3,000 \$

Chinese Imperial 1881 8. 565 Tl.

1884 A....

H. & M. Glass Manufacturing Co.... 4,000 \$

Sagar Debentures, 1880.....

HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., L.1. 8,000 \$ 100 \$

STRAMBOAT COMPANIES.

MISCELLANEOUS,

New Shares

BANKS

INSURANCES.

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements. for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs R. M. Hobson

FOR HOLHOW, PAKHOI AND HAIPHONG. The Steamship despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 8th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

AH YON & Co. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 6, 1886. THE HOVEKONG SCHOOLS ATHLETIC SPORTS 8th April, 1886.

ST. JOSEPH'S SCHOOL: VICTORIA SCHOOL DIOCESAN HOME;

Patron: H.E. The Acting Governor Hon. W. H. MARSH, U.M.G. Stewards :- Hou. F. STEWART, L.L.D. J. J. FRANCIS, Esq., Q.O.; Dr. P. B. C. AYRES; H. Foss, Esq.; W. M. DEANE, Esq., M.A.; A. P. MacEwen, Esq.; A. G.

ROMANO, Esq. Committee :- Rev. J. B. Ost; Rev. Father Vigano; A. FALCONER, Esq.; J. W. JONES, Esq.; R. M. JAMESON, Esq., B. A. Masters Thes. Lourerse; Simon Pirk; FRED. GRIMBLE; GEO. SAGE; ERNEST HAZELAND; C. W. DIERCES.

Hon. Treasurer :- G. H. B. WRIGHT. Esq., M.A. Hon. Secretary: -G. PIBROY, Esq. Clerks of the Course :- A. DENISON, Esq.; T. K. DEALY, Esq. Starters :- W. M. B. ARTHUR, Esq.; G.

A. CALDWELL, EBQ. Judges :- J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART, Esq. ; H. F. HAYLLAR, Esq. Referee :- W. WATSON PIKE, Esq., M.S. Official Time-keeper :- T. GLABS, Esq.

Events: 1.—Bowling at Wicker, 2 prizes, Boys, 2 .- 100 YARDS FLAT RACE, 2 prizes, Boys, 13 to 16. 3. 100 Yabds Flat Race, 2 prizes, Boys,

4.-100 Yards Flat Race, 2 prizes, Boys, 5.-100 YARDS FLAT RACE, 2 prizes, Garrison Boys (Post Entries). 6.—Hop, STEP AND JUMP, 2 prizes, Boys,

7.—High Jump, 2 prizes, Boys, 13 to 16. 8. -220 YARDS FLAT RACE, 2 prizes, Boys, 9.-120 YARDS HURDLE RACE, 2 prizes, 10 .- 100 YARDS HURDLE RACE, 2 prizes Girls. 6 to 10. 11.—200 YARDS FLAT RACE, 2 prizes, Boys,

12 .-- 120 Yards Flat Race, 2 prizes, Girls, | Ports, and Port Darwin March 28; General 13 .- 200 Yands Flat RACE, 2 prizes, Garrison Boys (Post Entries). 14 .- 1 MILE FLAT RACE, 1st prize, Cup,

2nd prize, Boys, 9 to 13. 15.—100 Yards Skipping Race, 2 prizes Girls, 10 to 14. 16 .- 50 YARDS FLAT RACE, 2 prizes for Boys, 2 prizes for Girls (under 6).

A reserved division of the Carpeted and 17 .- 1-MILE FLAT RACE, 1st prize, Cup; 2nd prize, Boys, 16 to 18. 18 -ALL FOURS FLAT RACE, 2 prizes, Boys, 19. -600 YARDS FLAT RA E, 1st prize, Cup; 2nd prize, Boys, 13 to 16. 20 -100 YARDS JOCKEY RACE, 2 prizes,

Horses under 18, Riders over 6 (by Volga, for Yokohama ballot). 21.—SHUTTLE-COCK, Chinese. 22.—Tug-of-War, Boys under 18. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. Hongkong, April 6, 1886.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

THE Steamship Galley of Lorne, Captain POMBOY, having arrived from the 703 | above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Ladingsto. the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to

JAPAN, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 6th Inst. All Claims against the Steamer must be present to the Undersigned on or before the 15th Instant, or they will not be recognised.

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, April 6, 1886.

For equali-

sation of div.

\$ 500,000

125 8

10£ 7.10

100 \$

500

500 500

3189 3

508

50,000 Tla.

575,000 8

600,000|3

155,000,8

28,711.50

1.000,000 8

566,700

300,000

86,764.16

9,177.31.1 £

30,000

6,000

UNION LINE.

PENANG & SINGAPORE. Purvis, having arrived from

requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to SHANGHAP, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 6th Instant. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 15th Instant, or they will not be re-

Not Responsible for Debts.

Veither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during BENARTY, British steamer, Capt. Ed. Le

Boutellier. Gibb, Livingston & Co. CLIEVEDEN. British steamer, Capt. Fred Johnston.—Siemssen & Co.

ports: Light N.E. winds and fine weather. The British steamer Airlie reports : From ELLEN A. READ, British ship, Capt. N. Sydney (N.S. W.), having made the passage B. Hatfield. - Order. in 21 days via Queensland Ports and Port FRED. P. LATCHFIELD, American barque, Darwin, the latter place she left on the 28th March. Fine weather was experienced Capt. Samul. Burtlett. - Order.

throughout the passage. Left Tamsui on the 1st inst., with mode-HYDRA, German barque, Captain Binge. rate N.E. wind, fine to Swatow : left Swa--Gonsalves & Co. tow on the 5th inst. and thence to port, variable winds and foggy. In Tamsui, Chi-MELBERK, British barque, Captain W.

April 6, 1886 :--Alert, American cruiser, from Canton. Fook ang, British steamer, from Wham-

Tea and 726 pkgs, Sundries. Galley of Lorne, British steamer, 1,380 Pomroy, London February 13, and Singa, pore March 30, General.—RUSSELL & Co. Airlie, British steamer, 1,492, Winthrop For SAIGON .-Ellis, Sydney (N.S.W.) via Queensland and Coal.—Russell & Co.

.Fokien, British str., 509, F. D. Goddard, Tamsui April 1, and Swatow 26, General -DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

Benarty, British steamer, 1,197, Edward Le Boutellier, Saigon April 3, Rice and Paddy.—GIRB, LIVINGSTON & Co. For AMOY & MANILA.

DEPARTURES,

Japanese, for Saigon. Yangteze, for Whampon. Kut Sung, for Whampon. Iraquaddy, for Shanghai.

Ava, for Europe. Phra Chula Chim Klao, for Swatow. Atalant .. for Singapore and Hamburg. Nestor, for Amoy and Shanghai. Hattie N. Bangs, for Bangkok. Ganger Rolf, for Saigon.

CLEARED. Merionethshire, for Salgon.

Nanshan, for Swatow. Elisabeth, for Bassin (India). Amigo, for Amoy, Tritos, for Saigon. Wandering Jew, for Manila.

Johann, for Hollow. PASSENGERS.

Per Fokien, from Tamsui, &c., 18 Chi-Parcels not exceeding 7 hs. in weight nor measuring more than two feet in any

DEPARTED: Per Ava, from Hongkong: for Singapore

63,800.38 bonus 1-year 1891 % prem., cash

812,639.35 Tls. 20 p. sh. Tls. 300 per share

10 % 285

2,868.89 6 % for 1885 \$185 per share

34,522.0: 8 % half year \$80 prem., cash

117.16.73 % for 1884 5 % discount, cash

25 discount

\$195 per share, cash

8100 per share, cash

\$145 per share

Par. no vinal

A. G. STOKES, Share Broker,

-6,551.58 7 % half year \$85 % prem., cash, buyers

402.22 12% yearend-ing June 3 /85 5 % prem.

1,527.3.11 10 % and 2 % \$120 per share

1,175.07 Old, \$6 New, \$3

13,451.51 None

690.66 \$16

1,125.30 \$12

1,094.523 %

First year

Payable.

June16&Dec.10

March 15

June 80

June & Decem.

Oct 15

439,089,41\$31 p sh. /84 \$480

200,773.71 18 % V annum \$72

283,482.55 \$27.10 for '84 \$385

228,811.67 \$ 6 for 1884 | \$82

Mr Wilmson; for Colombo, Mr Courvoisier; SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

465,214.43

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES, FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG,

THE Steamship Devonshire, Captain above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby

at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

wer; from Naples, Mr G. B. Ciam; from

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, April 6, 1886.

their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-

FREEMAN, American barque, Capt. M. I Howes.-H. J. H. Tripp.

ness gunboat. In Swatow, stenmer Thales. Lightbody — Melchers & Co. MERON, American ship, Captain T. B Had moderate Easterly winds, and fine Glove; -Melchers & Co. weather throughout.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

For SHANGHAL .-Per Fooksang, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednes-

April 6:

Sussex, for San Francisco.

Margaretha, for Elephant Point (India). Marcia, for Shanghai.

ARRIVED. Per Airlie, from Sydney, (N.S.W.), Mr and Mrs McMillan, Mr Craddock, Mrs 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres-Anderson, Mr Loxley, Miss Stoodley, Mr Stoodley, 2 Europeans in the steerage, and 143 Chinese.

Per Benarty, from Saigon, 8 Chinese.

Paid- POSITION PER LAST REPORT. Last Dividend **\$ 4,500,000** £2 div., & 10/

of the articles forwarded, as well as the gross weight of the parcel be entered on the APRIL 6, 1886. Declaration of Contents. The Postage on Local Parcels will hence Closing Que tatrons. forth be 10 cents per ib., and on those for

a cash, ex div., buyers

buyers

er div.

cash, ex div.

cash

casb, ex div.

nominal

n cash, ex div.

the Straits Settlements, Ceylon, and India. Registration fee. ALFRED LISTER. Postmaster General. General Post Office.

Hongkong, March 1, 1886.

General Memoranda. THURSDAY, April 8:-Noon.-Tenders for Work at Belcher and Fly Point Batteries. Hongkong Schools' Athletic Sports. Tenders for Conveyance Stores received

this date. SATURDAY, April 10:be made on or before this date.

by Naval Storekeeper on or before

Monday, April 12:after Noon subject to rent and landing this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, April 14:-

Sassoon, Sons & Co. 9 p.m. - Concert at the City Hall. THUESDAY, April 15 :-

or before this date. Claims against the Deconshire must sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., or before this date. TUESDAY, April 20 :---3 p.m. - Extraordinary Meeting of the

WEDNESDAY, April 21:-Tenders for Furchase of Les Yuen. MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

and two children, Mesers Martin, Philippe,

Plante, A. M. Cardoso, Mr and Mrs Forrest. From Foodhow: for Marseilles, H. E. Chow,

and 34 students of H.I.C. M.s Arsenal. From

Shanghai for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs Popoff,

Mrs Little, Mesers Sucnson, Henningson, do Belabre and L. Courvoisier, Mrs Pauli and

infant, Mr and Mrs Innocent, Sisters Butro-

nillo, Solonnac and Laurent Favre, Rev. Mr and Mrs Lees and 2 children, Messrs

Ch. Brown and F. Burni. From Yoko-

hama : for Saigon, 10 Marines ; for Singapore, Lieut. S. Taoutchi, Capt. J. Taku-

shima, and Mr H. Sugaya; for Marseilles,

Mesers J. Matsu Oka, Q. Hiroshima, Mrs

L. Wolf, Messrs Petinto, Au Tan, Kondo,

J. Fakagni, U. Itchinoce, K. Yokota, K. Yokota, K. Kabuto, Sughyama, T. Macda,

Takaya, G. Kawamura, Mrs Winter, infant

and servant, Messrs H. Ito and P. Jourdan.

Tomitani, K. Tabe, T. Ichiwata, T

Per Iraouaddy, for Shanghai: from Hong-

kong, Mesars H. S. Roberts, A. D. Brown,

Mr and Mrs Arranger, Mr and Mrs Klein-

wachter ; from Marseilles, Messra Schuffen-

hauer, K. G. Shewell, P. Crosthwaite, Mr

and Mrs E. Major, Messrs E. Hant, A.

Campbell, Molchanoff and friend, Mrs San-

Per Volga, for Yokohama ; from Hong-

kong, Mr E. Scherling ; from Marseilles,

Messra J. Hirayama, G. Yamamoto, Bastide

and Suemalz. For Hiogo : from Marseilles,

TO DEPART.

Per Nanshan, for Swatow, 150 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Galley of Lorne re-

The British steamer Fokien reports :

The British steamer Benarty reports

CARGO.

Per S. S. Ava, sailed on the 6th April

-For Continent, 838 bales Silk, 349 bales

Waste Silk, 15 cases Silks, 128 cases Co-

coons, 10 cases Pongees and 872 pkgs.

Sundries. For London, 73 bales Silk, 194

bales Waste Silk, 4 cases Silks, 3,418 boxes

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Merimethshire, at 7.30 s.m., on Wed-

Per Marcia, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednes-

Per Diamante, at 4.30 p.m., on Wednes-

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Per Havphong, at 8.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 8th inst.

Per Khiva, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday,

MAILS will close:-

previously notified.

day, the 7th inst.

day, the 7th inst.

day, the 7th inst.

For STRAITS AND BOMBAY .-

For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA --

Tuesday, the 13th inst.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-

the Mails, &c.

15 P.M. Registry cences.

gium and Germany.

Per Arratoon Apear, at 2.30 p.m.,

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

which will be closed as follows :-

Postage until the time of departure,

one direction can now be forwarded to Bel-

Per Amigo, for Amoy, 380 Chinese.

Per Tritos, for Saigon, 150 Chinese.

Mosers Schlosser and R. Tauzon.

Singapore, Song Tinng Whalt.

Noon.—Marcia leaves for Shanghai.
4 p.m.—Fooksang leaves for Shanghai. 5 p.m .- Diamante leaves for Manila, &c Patroclus leaves for London. Goods per Pembrokeshire undelivered

after this date subject to rent. Auctions.

Auction of Valuable Property. Amusements. 9 p.m.-A. D. C. Performance at City

9 p.m.—Chiarini's Circus and Menagerie at East Bowrington. Miscellaneous. sent in to Messrs Adamson, Bell & Co., on or before this date.

KIND PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS.

FANCY GOODS, Loft over from CHRISTMAS, will be Sold a

ENGLISH CUT GLASS BOTTLES,

DOULTON WARE.

REDUCED PRICES, during the Continuance of this Advertisement.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd., THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, February 19, 1886.

25 The publication of this issue commenced

at 7.45 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1886.

Conscious of his ! limited experience of the criminal classes and prison administration in the Far East,' Major-General Gordon ventures with diffidence to offer opinions and make suggestions as to desirable changes and reforms, in the Victoria Goal. The Gao! Superintendent

might also have included in his calculations the impossibility, under existing conditions, of carrying out the sweeping reforms which he has suggested. This A Ministerial bill has been introduced for latter consideration, however, has naturally enough been kept in the back ground, for the Superintendent's report would otherwise have been reduced to very narrow dimensions. Like all officers of limited experience in regard to nesday, the 7th inst., instead of as the peculiar circumstances of this Colony-for General Gordon possesses ample experience gained in Africa, India, and Cyprus-the Gaol Superintendent's sets

to work here guided in its general principles by English prison experience. He puts before him the magnificent results achieved at Home by well-ordered prison discipline; and he tells us, in effect, There is a model for you, and you must strive to attain the same results. He has already found his ideal to be most difficult of attainment. Many causes operate (he

says) to make prison discipline less

efficacious here than at Home- some

of which [he adds] are inherent

in the situation and conditions of the Colony. General Gordon's ideal, therefore, is unattainable-certainly for th present, if not altogether beyond reach The British Contract Packet Hydaspes will be despatched on TUESDAY, the at any time. In the first place, the 13th Instant, with Mails for the United building which would be required for Kingdom, Europe, and countries be an adequate trial of this system, that is yond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settle- to be based on English experience, ments; Netherlands India, Burmah, cannot be built for say ten years Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, to come; and in the second place, such a system has not recommended The usual hours will be observed in closing itself to the experience of those who have most impartially studied the subject. It has been said that, in face The United States Mail Packet City of Peof the present limited accommodation of king will be despatched on WEDNES- Victoria Gaol, the Thieves' Guild now DAY, the 14th instant, with Mails and again checks the importation o for Japan, San Francisco, the United thieves into Hongkong, so that the daily States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., blackmail of robbery and larcenies may not be overdone, or the Gaol get too full If a prison were built to accommodate pondence may be posted on board the say a few thousands in place of hundreds, Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra | Kwangtung province would soon fill it up, and the Thieves' Guild might then be persuaded to make no objections as rica, and Benalder. regards the supply and demand of crim inals. This idea of a protective policy, dealing with the criminal imports like a No parcel for Germany can be received monopoly, may be slightly exaggerated; kong, 60 days' sight at London, 3/31. unless it is sealed, and unless the net weight but the best-informed Chinese residents will bear us out in this, that the size Messes Siemssen & Co. inform us that the and accommodation of the prison will D. D. R. steamship Hesperia, from Hamever govern the number of applicants to burg, left Suez again for Singapore and this share its luxuries. This illustrates the fact that the majority of the criminals 15 cents per to, which rates will include in this small colony are not indigenous Chiagini's Circus will open to morrow to the Island, but are foreign to its soil. Our geographical position is such that they flock to this happy hunting ground' from all parts of the mainland; and if we except the younger prisoners (who may be more open to reformatory treatment) the larger proportion of these ed in Kowloon to merrow morning to aslawless imports are professional and certain what domage she has received

While regretting, therefore, that youth- | lene, has been appointed to take command ful offenders are not better provided for of the new gunboat Filippias, which is being Goods per Ghazes undelivered after this —as reformatory measures should al-date subject to rent. —as reformatory measures should al-constructed in Hongkong. The subscrip-Claims against the Arratoon Apear must tender years we cannot follow the Su- tion for the acquisition of the Filipinas had periotendent of the Gaol so readily in reached the sum of \$136,372 on the 29th his reformatory aspirations as we can in ult. Goods per Steamer Iraquaddy unclaimed his deterrent recommendations. Victoria Gaol ought to be not only a terror News was received in Hongkong yesterday charges at 1 cent per package per diem. Til Usol ought to be not only a terror. NEWS was received in Hongkong yesterday. Goods per Gleneagles undelivered after to evil-doers in Hongkong, but a place of the sudden death in Swatow on Sunday. which is calculated to repel and not afternoon of Mr B. Schay, merchant, to altract the lawlers hordes from the Swatow. Mr Schaar had been in delicate 3 p.m. -Auction of Bisnee Villa, Pok. mainland. Upon the first reading of foolum, at the offices of Mears David General Gordon's able report, one feels health for a few years and not long ago made that his suggestions ought to have been a trip home. It is reported that his death limited more to the practicable than the was caused by an over-dose of morphia. impossible. But the Superintendent is Claims against the Galley of Lorne must clear enough upon this phase of the THE Orders of the Day for next Wedness be sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., on subject, viz., that Chinese convicts are day's meeting of the Legislative Council better clothed, and better lodged than contain only two new items, vis, the first free coolie labourers, and the labour reading of the Loan Ordinance, 1888 and exacted from them is less. Whatever the first reading of the Peace Preservation General Gordon line accomplished in making residence in prison less pleas. Ordinance, 1886. The report of the Special Shareholders of the H.K. Canton and ant and agreeable than it has been Committee on the Stamp Ordinance will Macso S. boat Co., Ltd. inust have a good effect; and it would also be laid on the table. The Committee seem pretty clear that there is still deserve credit for the celerity with which room for further severity. The annulusy secondished their teak.

tlements suffer under no similar disad-

pression of talking in the tells, stoppage of surreptitions supplies offuxuries, and the full performance of labour tasks, are all efforts which must exercise a deterrent effect upon the prisoners. Those violent assaults in Gaol, and the conspiracy to escape (in which lawless acts the members of the Triad Society figured prominently), show the kind of material with which the Gaol Superintendent is supplied from South China. Corporal punishment was very properly meted out to the prisoner who knocked down the Superintendent with a bludgeon; and no one blessed with common sense will ever contend that bodies of Claims against the Pembrokeshire must be criminals of the Kwangtung type can possibly be managed without fear of the lash. Let us look, however, at the origin of the conspiracy. It appears. that the prescribed punishment diet of 11b. of rice a day had been enforced; hence the discontent! Why, any ordiuary healthy Chinnman seldom eats more than one lb. of rice per day—a strong coolie will probably eat 14 lb. and where, then, would be the ground for a grievance, had it not been that the prisoners have been pumpered and fed up almost to repletion? What General Gordon says regarding the necessity for longer sentences, labour on public works, and the acquirement of industrial occupations by prisoners, is both suggestive and sensible; but these matters are and must be governed in the meantime by circumstances. His endeavours to make the Gaol a less pleasant place of residence for criminals should earn for him the thanks of this community; and we are much mistaken if the gallant General does not modify his views as to the suitability of English rules, even on the separate system, when applied to an exotic criminal class such as that ever pouring into this Colony.

London, 5th April. The announcement that M. Ristics was about to form a Ministry was premature.

Despatches received in Paris report the capture of Laokai.

a loan of twenty-five millions Drachmas to increase the Army and Navy.

PASSED SURE CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Norden, January 26; Abftara, 29; Berenice, March 2; De Bay, 5; Massalia, 9; Amphitrite, 12; Benalder, Benvenue, 16; Kaisow, 19; Ajax, Natal, Oxfordshire; Cachar, Pathan, Titan, 23; Antenor, Denbighshire,

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Benglos, March 9; Glenfruin, Medusa, 16; Stentor, 23; Ortes, April 2.

Wednesday, the 7th inst. The O. & O. Co 's steamer San Pablo, with the next American Mail on board, left Yokohama on Saturday, the 3rd inst., at daylight, and may be expected

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Achilles, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 1st inst., and may be expected here on or about the 7th inst.

4th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 11th instant. THE Mascotte Opera Company will per-

thun left Singapore for this port on the

Sociedade Economics for the creation of a Chamber of Commerce at Manila. THE following vessels have arrived at their

on Friday at 1001; and exchange on Honge

evening. There is sure to be a large audience. A refreshment bar will be pro-

hardened criminals. Singapore is not a from having gone sahore in the Canton hoppy parallel, because the Straits Set- river. LIEUT. Angel Lopez, of the gunboat Mani-

TELEGRAMS. (Via Southern Line.) SERVIA.

FRANCE & TONQUIN.

THE GRECIAN EMBROGLIO.

The English and Austrian squadrons in Suda Bay have been reinforced.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

26; Benlarig, Glenogle, 30; Ching Wo, Antonio, April 2.

next English Mail, per the P. & O. steamer Ancone left Singapora on Friday, the 2nd instant, at 6 n.m., and may be expected here on or about

here on or about Saturday, the 10th The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamship Catter-

form. 'The Milcado' this evening. A MOTION has been presented to the Real

destinations from China-Heinrich Ame-S PER cent. Consols were quoted in London

vided by the Victoria Hotel. THE American corvette Alert will be dook-

A NUMBER of minor cases were tried in the Police Court before Mr Mackean this morning. George Moulds, an English sonman on board H. M. S. Victor Emanuel. was fined \$1 for assaulting a chair coolie. Three private marines on board H. M. S. Constance, David Weddel, F. J. King, and John Jarvis, were fined a dollar each for being drunk and disorderly. One or two lottery cases, were disposed of and in one instance a fine of \$100, with the alternative of three months imprisonment, was imposed.

No. 7077.+APRIL 6, 1886.

Oun old friends the Buffs, we learn, are making the best of their rather uncomfortable position at Assouan, now the most advanced outpost for British troops in Upper Egypt. Like true lovers of sport cates of documents chargeable with stamp they organised the Annual Athletic Sports, duty has been altered as follows :which came off under the patronage of Hobson, Majors Gelston, Jackson and Howarlh, Captains Backhouse and Somerset, Lieuts. Vyvyan, Lloyd and Mitford, and Sergt. Major Gleeson. B Company, commanded by Lieut. Vyeyan, carried off no loss than 16 first and 9 second prizes out of 22 events, besides winning the Regimental tug-of-war. Our contemporary this of The Buffs, lately A.D.C. to His Excellency Sir George Bowen, has accepted service in the Egyptian Army, and signed an agreement for two years. Ho gets the local rank of Major. The Buffs have seen no active service in Egypt-so far, and the dust and flies are at present their most active tormenturs. Colonel Graves, Major Jackson, and Lieut. Mitford have obtained a short leave of absence.

As will be seen from our advertising co-

lumns, the schools of the Colony other than the Hongkong Public School will hold their Athletic Sports on Thursday next. officers, the Regimental Band will play on the Ground during the afternoon; and equipped race for the police only, the equip- nominal amount, \$5. ment consisting of full winter unform and cap, belt and truncheon, in case lamp and ammunition boots. The prize for this race is presented by Mr W. M. Deane. There is also to be a half mile flat race for Europeans in the force for which a handsome cup has been offered by Dr Ayres. In the tug of war open to the Police, the Navy, Military, and Volunteers, the conditions of the contest are men a side, 15 feet to be pulled over Company, Limited, the plaintiffs in an acand no sitting down or spikes allowed. | tion, in which James Macgregor and all other this competition, and there is every chance of their varrying off the prize on Battery team when allowed to sit down, and Deacon, appeared for the defendants. may be more than a match for them standing. In the way of funny races, deemed advisable to put the petition besides the usual three-legged race there Original Jurisdiction and not in Vice Adwill be an egg and spoon race for 100 yards. | miralty, read the petition of the plaintiff, Under this heading must also come the which was to the effect that the competition for the most 'characteristic' plaintiff Company is a Company duly dressed Highlander. It is difficult to im- incorporated and registered in England agine what the denor of the prize, Mr A. and is owner of the Steamship Camorta, Falconer, would conceive as the most charac- | the master of which is or was Jan Oreille. teristic dress of a Highlander. We could im- | The defendants are the owners of the agine many ways in which he could be most Steamship Glenfruin, of which Edward characteristically dressed without meeting | Norman is or was master, and of the cargo the usual requirements of the Highland | actually laden on board that ship on 17th games in Scotland in which the prize is given | October last. On that day the steamer to the best dressed Highlander. As formerly | Camorta and the steamer Glenfruin came not been neglected in the events, and we and the Gienfruin was so severely damaged observe also that there are races for the | that she had to be run on shore and a great boys and girls of the members of the force. Judging by the programme the Sports of however, being done to life or limb. On the Police should be an entire success. It the 27th October the owners of the Glenis understood they are to commence at noon. fruin and the owners of her cargo com-

Tes Comercio learns that the merchant the Government to reinforce the naval fleet in the Philippines, have changed their names to Cebis and Argos respectively.

The former was to sail immediately for Manila, and the latter was to be despatched about the 20th of March. Both vessels will visit the ports of the East, where the Spanish flag has not been seen for a long time.

THE NEW STAMP BILL.

In order to give our readers an opportunity of more fully understanding the collision occurred without actual fault or land, and of which Lord Brabazon is the change which is to be effected by the proposed new Stamp Ordinance, we give below plaintiff Company therefore prays. — (1st). scheme. the increases which have been made on the duties under the new schedule :- The fee for adjudication as to the amount of stamp duty to be levied on any document will be raised from \$1 to \$2; a similar increase is made on the amount to be charged for an arbitration award; articles of clerkship will, if the schedule stamp worth \$100 instead of one of \$50 as. formerly ; an attested copy of any document will cost \$2 instead of \$1, the stamp for a bank cheque is raised from 2 to 3 cents : and two thirds per cent. per annum will be charged on the value of bank notes instead of three quarters. In the present schedule bills of exchange payable on demand are charged 2 cents; but in the proposed schedule, the description of the bill is altered, and duly of 5 cents is to be imposed on bills of exchange drawn out of but payable on demand within the colony, not being a cheque and bearing the date on which it was made. On other bills of exchange of any kind whatsoever except a choque or bank note, the following tables will best show the changes !--

	Present Sche	
Ueder 8	10	Free
		2 cen
85	and the state of t	10 20
81,0 82,0		50
83.0		\$1.00
. 85.0		81.50
8 10,0		82.00
815,0		6 3.00
TRABLA POC	MATCHER COLVE	0 or part there

New Scale	Ÿ
From \$ 00 to \$250 10 cents.	H
8 250 8 500 20 ,,	p
\$500 , \$1,000 50 ,,	bi
61 AAA 92 AAA 91 AA	de
\$2,000 , \$3,00082.00	.W
83,000 85,000 83,00	ti
\$5,000 , \$10,000\$4.00	C
The Of One additional and	01

part thereof..... Bills of lading remain unaltered, but bonds concerning respondentia or buttomry and average statements are to be charged 20 cents for every \$100 or part thereof instead of 10 cents. The duty on a broker's note will not be altered; but the charge on charter parties will be increased from 10 to 15 cents for every \$100 or part thereof, and copy charters under and over 200 tons,

respectively; to \$1.50 and 83. The duty on a co-partnership deed is inoreased from \$2 to \$3; on a declaration of trust from \$10 to \$15; and on a deed of gift, from \$25 to \$50. The scale for dupli-

OLD SCALE Colonel Graves, the commanding officer, in If the original duty is If the original duty is the Valley, South East of Tagoog Heights, Under \$1 ... same duty Under \$2 ... same duty on Thursday, the 25th February. The From 8 1 to 810....\$1 From 82 to 810....\$2 names of the Committee are nearly all fami- From \$10 to \$20...\$2 From \$10 to \$20...\$4

increased from \$1 for every \$100 up to to take a part of the \$400. He could \$1,000, and \$10 exceeding \$1,000, to \$1.50 | better afford to lose his \$215 than the other and \$15 respectively. The duty on instra- creditors could do to lose their claims. ments under seal not otherwise charged for | Mr Ewons-I am propared to pay the is increased from \$10 to \$15; on leases in \$400 to Mr Caldwell or into the Court. consideration of a sum of money paid in Mr Caldwell-Better pay the sum into the way of premium if without rent, from -the Court. morning says:—We learn by private letter 30 cents for every \$100 to 50 cents. On The Chief Justice said he was not prefrom Assouan, Egypt, that Captain Lewis, leases at a rest the scale is amonded as leases at a rent the scale is amonded as

> NEW SCALE. OLD SCALE. PER 8100. Per \$100. One year 10 cts. One year 15 cts. Three years 25 cts. Three years ... 40 cts. Thirty years.... 50 cts. Thirty years .. 75 cts. Exceeding Exceeding.....

thirty years .. 75 cts thirty years \$1.25. Letters of hypothecation referring to particular property will require a stamp of \$2 a duplicate will cost 20 cents; and a general letter of hypothecation \$4, the duty in each case being doubled; and on mortgages of all kinds the duty has also been doubled. Notarial acts will have to pay \$2 instead of \$1; notes of protest 50 cents instead of 25 By permission of Colonel Foster and the conts; and insurance policies which were formerly charged 10 cents for all amounts will be charged on the following graduated scale :- Where the value does not exceed Mrs Marsh will present the prizes. - Besides | \$500, 5 cents; 1000, 10 cents; over that these sports there is yet to come off the 25 cents. Promissory notes, formerly clas-Regiment's Sports on Saturday next, the sified with bills of exchange, will be taxed programme of which shows at number of at the rate of 5 cents for every \$100 or part interesting competitions, among the number | thereof. Powers of attorney will cost \$3 being an Animal Race. On the following instead of \$2, probate \$2 for every \$100 or Saturday (the 17th), as formerly intimated, part thereof instead of \$1, settlements 50 will come off the Police Sports, which pro- cents for \$100 or part of that amount inmise to be a big affair. Besides the parti- stead of 30 cents, and on transfers of shares cular Scotch events which we men the duty is raised from 10 cents for every tioned before, such as sword dancing \$100 to as follows :- If complete, i.e. signin Highland costume, bagpipe competition, ed by buyer and seller and otherwise comprize for most characteristic dressed High- ploted, 15 conts per \$100; if incomplete, lander, there is to be a 100 yards full- 50 cents per \$100; and on transfers for a

> SUPREME COURT IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. (Before Sir George Phillippo, Chief Justice.

Tuesday, April 6. PETITION FOR LIMITATION OF LIABILITY. This was a petition for limitation of liabi-

lity by the Netherlands Steam Navigation Police have been training for owners of the steamer Glenfruin were the defendants.

Mr Francis, instructed by Messrs Sharp. the reasonable conditions they have stipu- Johnson and Stokes, appeared for the plain-They have a strong company, | tiffs, and the Acting Attorney General, Hon. although not a match for the E. J. Ackroyd, instructed by Messrs Wotton

intimated the Indian and native Police have i into collision in the harbour of Hongkong. part of her cargo was damaged, no damage. menced a suit in the Vice Admiralty Court of Hongkong against the steamer Camorta, her tackle, apparel, and furniture and the steamers Julieta and Romeo, acquired by freight due in respect of her cargo, and steamer. By an interlocutory decree made representatives to the conference. in the suit on 26th January 1886 the Camorta was pronounced wholly to blame for A Minkip paper of the 6th February last the collision, and the steamer and freight many is suffering from fits. says that the gunboats Elcano and General and the plaintiff Company, the owners Lezo have been ordered to the Philippines. thereof, were condemned in damages and costs; and it was referred to the Registrar and merchants to inquire into an I the Werkly Dispatch should publish a denial

report on the amount of the damage. The Camerta is, after making the usual against Sir Alexander Stuart, contained in deduction for space occupied by crew, of the a report of the proceedings of the recent gress tonnage of 2050 tons, and at eight Socialist Emigration Conference. pounds per ton is of the value of £16,400. The claims preferred against the steamship amount to \$1,005,000 or thereabouts. The privity on the part of the plaintiff Company That the amount of the plaintiff's liability in respect of the matters mentioned may be declared and and distributed between the defendants and all other persons who shall establish claims against the plaintiff Company in | have been recovered. respect of the matters mentioned by and

under direction of this Court: (2nd) That for the purpose of establishing the amount of that liability all needful enquiries may a prize of 10,000 dollars will be offered for be passed in its present form, require a be made: (3nd) That in the meantime a sculling contest, if William Reach, chamthe defendants may be restrained by the pion of the world, will compete. order and injunction of this Court from further proceeding with their claims in the Vice-Admiralty Court of Hongkong, and from Seville, of Spain. commencing and prosecuting any suit against the plaintiff in respect of the matters mentioned.

The defendants' answer was to the offect that they admitted the statements made in a fresh general election will in all probabithe petition. The defendants further admit lity take place shortly. that the plaintiffs are entitled to a decree under 25 and 26 Victoria Chapter 63, section 54, limiting their liability on paying Holmes, Q.C., member for Dublin Univerinto Court the sum of £16,400 with interest sity, gave notice that he should move, thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per 'That Parliament is unwilling to vote any annum from the 17th October 1885, the date sum of money for the civil government of of the collision between the steamship Glen- Ireland until the policy of the Government is fruin and Camorta, to the date of payment announced with regard to the maintenance and upon giving security for the payment of social order in the country. of all the costs incurred or to be incurred by the defendants in the Court of by a Tory member, affirming that the Vice Admiralty in the two suits of McGre- House should not vote the Irish estimates gor and others a The Camoria and the until the Government had explained their

convenient that the assessment of damages | Company has been floated. to on before the Registrar. Mr Francis said it would undoubtedly be The action brought by Mr John Bryce, considered probable that this step will die of the day, and the sun should undoubtedly be The action brought by Mr John Bryce, considered probable that this step will die of the day, and the sun should undoubtedly be to the action brought by Mr John Bryce, considered probable that this step will die of the day, and the sun should undoubtedly be to the action brought by Mr John Bryce, considered probable that this step will die of the day, and the sun should undoubtedly be to the day.

court, and that the matter should stand counter-claim for £4000.

This was agreed to and the petition granted on these terms,

IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN TO MARIA DURAND, HANKBUPT. This was an adjourned application for discharge in bankruptcy, the Chief Justice, on the occasion of the first application statling that he would inquire into the claims, and into the offer of \$25 a month made on behalf of the bankruptcy.

Mr Ewens, who appeared for the bankrupt said he had made an offer to the creditors, which they had accepted. He believed there would be \$400 paid into the Court or to Mr Caldwell.

Mr Caldwell, who appeared for three creditors, said be had submitted the offer to his clients and they were willing to accept

Mr Goulbourne said he was perfectly willing to withdraw from the matterentirely. The duty on foreign attachment bonds is He did not think it would be right for him

> granting personal protection from arrest, to have given the bankrupt her discharge subject to her creditors issuing execution against her at any future time. The bankrupt was then discharged.

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Airlie, Captain Ellis, arrived here from Australian ports this morning. From our exchanges brought on by her we extract the following bury. telegrams :—

UNIVERSITY HONOURS FOR AUSTRALIANS. London, Feb. 26 .- The University of St Andrews, Scotland, has conferred a doctor's degree upon Mr. Henry Lawrie, lecturer in logic and mental and moral philosophy at the Melbourne University; and also upon Mr Edward Ramsay, curator of the Australian Museum at Sydney. A PENNY POST TO AUSTRALIA.

In the House of Commons last night, Mr H. H. Fowler, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, in replying on behalf of the Government to Mr J. Henniker Heaton, expressed doubts as to whether the colonial Governments would acquiesce in the establishment of a mail system of penny postal cards between England and Australia.

March 5 .- Mr Fowler, Secretary to the Treasury, stated in the House of Commons yesterday that penny post cards between England and the colonies would involve a heavy loss.

THE U. S. TREATY WITH HAWAI ABROGATED. The United States Trade Commission recommends the abrogation of the treaty between the American and Hawaiian Governments, under which Claus Spreckels and Company, who own large sugar plantations in the Hawaiian Islands, are enabled to enjoy a practical monopoly for the sale of their sugars.

WINE SELLING AT THE COLONIAL EXHIBITION Feb. 27.—The difficulty in regard to the action of Sir P. Capliffe Owen, secretary to the Royal Commissioners at the Indian and Colonial Exhibition, in refusing to allow colonial wines to be sold at the exhibition except through Messrs. Spiers and Pond, has at length been satisfactorily Mr Francis having explained that it was settled. Concessions have been granted which will allow of the unrestricted sale of colonial wines at the exhibition.

A NEW QUICESILVER COMPANY. The company which was recently registered, with a capital of £400,000, for the purpose of taking up and working certain estates in Queensland for quicksilver, has made application to the Queensland Government for 60,000 acres of land, with the

view of commencing operations. BOYCOTTING STOPPED. Feb. 28.—The practice of boycotting steamers convoying cattle to Cork has ceased, Mr Parnell having arranged a compromise.

STRIKE AT BIRMINGHAM. Feb. 28.—The operatives in the employ of Nettlefold and Son, nail and screw manufacturers. Birmingham, have struck work. Rioting has taken place among the men

THE IMPERIAL FEDERATION LEAGUE. A conference of the Imperial Federation League and its branches will be held in London in July next. The colonial branagainst the plaintiffs, the owners of the ches of the league have been invited to send

EMPEROR WILLIAM SUBJECT TO FITS. Feb. 28.—The Emporor William of Ger-

SIR SAUL SAMUEL INSULTED. March 1 .- Sir Saul Samuel, Agent-General for New South Wales, has insisted that of certain charges of an insulting character

STATE AID TO EMIGRANTS. The society which was formed for the purpose of relieving the distress in Engpresident, has submitted to the British or of any of the shareholders therein. The Government a State-aided colonisation

RECOVERY OF LOST FAMILY DIAMONDS. March 2.-The family diamonds which were stolen from the country seat of Lord Trever, Denbighshire, several years ago,

\$10,000 SCULLING PRIZE. A regatta is to be held at Rocksway. in the United States, in June next, at which DEATH OF A SPANISH DUKE. The death is announced of the Duke of

ANOTHER GENERAL BLECTION PROBABLE. March 3 .- Mr John Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, stated, in the course of a speech which he delivered last night, that

THE IRISH QUESTION. In the House of Commons to-day Mr H.

March 5.-The motion brought forward Netherlands India Steam Navigation Com- policy with regard to Ireland, was discusspany, Limited, w. The Glenfrein and all the ed in the House of Commons last night, costs of this suit and of any reference and eventually withdrawn.

A PECULIAR LIBEL CASE

In Lordship would make the decree in this Zealand, against Mr Rusden, in which the to another appeal to the country. Cham- Race Course into capital condition for mili- it is necessary in action that you should resent suit, declaring the limitation of lis- plaintiff claims £10,000 damages for an berlain and Trevelyan have already threat- tary evolutions. The residents of the Settle- not only fire with precision, but with sility, but at the same time inserting in the alleged libel contained in the History of ened to resign. Many owners of Irish ments assembled in hundreds to watch rapidity. L should therefore like to see lecree a clause directing that the enquiry New Zealand, written by the defendants estates hail the proposal with the greatest the evolutions of the Volunteers, and rapid independent firing, rapid volleyvith reference to the claims should be con- was commenced in the Court of Queen', satisfaction. inned in the Registry and reported to this Beach to-day. Mr Rusden puts forward a

has been closed.

A DEFAULTING SECRETARY. Egremont, the defaulting secretary of the arrested at Stuttgart, was brought up at the laide Railway on January 1st. The journey Bow-street Police Court to-day, and remanded to Adelaide. MODEL OF THE QUEEN FOR N.S. W.

The model of the statue of the Queen, which is being executed by Mr J. Boehm, R.A., for the New South Wales Government, has been completed, and approved by Sir Saul Samuel and Lord Rose-

ANARCHY IN PARIS. A number of Anarchista attacked operators on the Paris Bourse to-day, using pistols and vitriol, and crying Death to

Bourse, but it proved unsuccessful AN IMPORTANT DENIAL. Mar. 5. - Mr Gladstone has authorised a denial of the report that he is parleying

with Mr Parnell. THE ABOLITION OF THE LORDS favour of the abolition of the House of honored name. Lords was discussed in the House of Commons to-night, and eventually rejected on division by 202 to 166. The Radicals were enthusiastic at the result of the division, the minority numbering twice as many as on the last occasion when a similar motion was before the House. When the division was announced the Parnollites jeered at the Lords, and made reference to the writing on the wall at Belshazzar's feast.

DERBY AND SALISBURY FRIENDS AGAIN. March 6 .- The Earl of Derby has resumed his friendship with the Marquis of Salis-

GLADSTONE'S THISH PROPOSALS. Mar. 7.- It is reported that Mr Gladstone proposes to constitute four provincial councils in Ireland.

THE INSULT TO SIR SAUL SAMUEL. Saul Samuel's denial of the insulting charges made against Sir Alexander Stuart at the recent Socialist Emigration Conference, but declares that it gave a fair report of the proceedings.

AN EXTENSIVE BORROWER. London, March 8. - The Standard, commenting on the new Queensland loan of £1,500,000, for which tenders have been invited, complains of the lavish borrowing A PARNELLITE CRUSADE IN ENGLAND.

A Paruellite crusade will shortly be comnenced in England.

SIR E. HENDERSON'S SUCCESSOR. Mr Malcolm Wood, of Manchester, will succeed Sir Edmund Henderson as Chief Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police. A DISASTROUS EXPLOSION.

The boiler of the steam tug Rifleman exploded at Cardiff to-day. The vessel and crew of six were blown to atoms. One of the cylinders was carried a distance of a quarter of a mile, and killed the pilot of an deposit of £85,000, £45,000 of which was General saw the Americans put through one after another as rapidly as possible at Italian ship.

MR GLADSTONE'S HEALTH. Mr Gladstone has been confined to his in reply to a memorial signed by sharethroat, however, is not affected. He receives out almost insurmountable difficulties in at his service, and also with the precision That sort of work at the halt is neither Ministers and transacts aft business in his the way of resuscitation, and counselled with which they had gone through their good for horse nor man. With regard to bedroom. Some anxiety is felt as to the Premier's condition, in spite of the official assurance that there is no cause for alarm.

INFORMATION FOR EMIGRANTS. It is announced that an official bureau through which intending emigrants to the colonies may obtain information will shortly be established in connection with the Culo nial Office.

Mr G. Oaborne Morgan, Under Secretary for the Colonies, stated in the House Commons last night that the Government intended to open an office for the diffusion of knowledge in connection with emigra-

IMPERIAL PEDEBATION. Mr C. E. Howard Vincent intends to ask Mr Gladstone to convene a conference on the question of Imperial federation in con-

nection with the forthcoming Colonial and Indian Exhibition. A GERMAN GOVERNOR FOR NEW GUINEA Berlin, March 9 .- It is officially announced that Baron de Schleinets has been appointed Governor of the German possessions in New Guines.

FRANCE AND THE NEW HEBRIDES. London March 11 .- The Paris Temps urgently demanding the annexation of the New Hebrides by France, the French Government giving an assurance that no recidivistes shall be sent there.

A MISSING BARQUE. The iron barque Noshead, register, bound from Sydney to Oregon, is

posted at Lloyd's as missing. SERIOUS RAILWAY COLLISION IN FRANCE Paris, March 11 .- It is reported that serious railway collision has occurred near Mentone, whereby twenty persons were

killed, many of the number being English." HEALTH OF GREAT POWERS. London, March 13.-Mr Gladstone, the British Premier, is recovering from the

he has lately been suffering. London, March 13.—The Emperor William of Germany, and Prince Bismarck, who were recently reported to be indisposed. are now in better health.

QUEEN'S COBONATION. London, March 13.—The Common Council of London is making arrangements for celebrating the anniversary of the coronation of the Queen, on June 28 next, with great festivities. Many leading colonists in London have been invited to take part

in the proceedings. AN INVASION OF RATS. Adelaide, March 13.-Au invasion of in numerable armies of rats from the north. reported from Parallana, in the north-

GLADSTONE'S PROPOSALS. London, March 14,-Mr Gladstone has submitted to the Cabinet an Irish land purchase scheme; the object of which is to reclaim estates from Irish landlords. The funds required for carrying out this proposal will be enormous. Mr Gladstone says that the scheme provides that the money shall be advanced by the Treasury. The Irish Parliament which it is proposed policy. It is reported that Mr G. O. policy is persisted in.

OLADSTONES PROPOSALS. thereunder.

The Chief Justice said it would be more March 4.—The Queensland Quicksilver the people, Ireland to pay the annual state of officiency. The State of officiency of the state of officiency. The State of officiency of the state of officiency. The State of officiency of the state of officiency. The State of officiency of the state of officiency. The State of officiency of the state of officiency of the state of officiency. enterest, and provide a sinking fund for the of the inspection, broke wet and gloomy; comparison; and therefore I should like to gradual re-payment of the principal. It is but fortunately the sky cleared in the mid. see you—if it can be managed at the range Gold Leaf 994 fine 830.85

ery convenient. He therefore supposed formerly Minister for Native Affairs in New cause trouble in political circles, and lead brightly, bringing the ground within the are small volleys—section volleys—because

March 19 -Gladstone's proposition to float a loan for \$200,000,000 is being adversely criticised, and both Chamberlain March 5. - The Empire Club, which was and Trevelyan, two members of the Liberal recently stated to be in financial difficulties, Government, have threatened to resign unless he modifies his proposition. THE MELEOURNE-ADELAIDE RAILWAY.

March 19 .- The Railway Conference at Adelaide Building Society, who was recently Melbourne, has decided to open the Ade-

A DIVORCE CASE IN AUSTRALIA. in Adelaide, Watson v. Watson and Charles No. 1 showed 26 file, under Captain Mor- sioned officers from the regular forces are Cameron Kingston, in which the petitioner, risen and Livuts. Dowdell and Cory; No. attached to Volunteers, and a great deal of Richard Watson, for many years draughts 2 had a front of 17 file under Captain instruction is afforded to them that you man in the Government Land Office, sought | Bright and Lieuts. Anderson and Gurney : cannot get here. You are dependent very a divorce from his wife on the ground of No. 8, 16 file under Captain Lanning and much upon yourselves; and therefore I adultery with the co-respondent, Kingston Liente. Burgoyne and Lewis; and No. think it would be a very good thing if you has been concluded. Neither the respon- 4, 11 file, under Capt. Danenberg and could have even a very small portion of dent nor co-respondent appeared. The Lieut. Senna. The Infantry Companies your number better instructed. I hear the Plutocrats. The rioters were eventually Attorney-General conducted the case for thus numbered, with officers, sergeants that your lectures for officers—and I am. arrested, but not until several persons had Watson. After a brief trial the Jury found and supernumeraries, upwards of 160 sorry I have not had an opportunity of that the charge of adultery had been proven, men, and the whole Force, including attending one-are merely lectures on March 7 .- An attempt was made by the and that the petitioner had not condoned the Band under the Chev. M. Vola ordinary drill. But it ought to go beyond Anarchists yesterday to destroy the Paris | the offence. C. C. Kingston, the co-res- and the American Force from the Omaha, that. Drill is nothing in itself. It is very pondent, is member of Parliament for West totalled fully 400 men. The Volunteer necessary; but it is only an instrument. Adelaide, a member of the legal profession | Force was under command of Major | What can drill do, until it is applied? and was Attorney-General in the last Go- Holliday; and Surgeon-Major Henderson You must learn how to apply it; and there vernment. The Adelaide papers suggest was attached to the Staff. that Kingston should retire from public | Soon after 3 o'clock the inspecting officer, the ground, is a very useful thing. I do life, as the only reparation he can offer for General Cameron, arrived at the Police not know whether it can be managed-I A motion by Mr Henry Labouchere in the disgrace he has brought upon an Compound, attended by Lieut Somerville am only speaking of things as they occur to bishop wilberforck to be applinted to

> MELBOURNE: Newcastle, England, will be appointed to | Roads.

Melbourne. SHIP DESTROYED BY FILE. The American ship Paul Jones, 1206 tons, from Boston to Melbourne, with a general cargo has been totally destroyed by fire off Melbourne Heads : the crow were all saved. THE NEW AUSTRALIAN ORIGINAT ELEVEN.

In a cricket match at Adelaide, between the combined team of 15 of South Australia and Victoria, against the Australian Eleven, now en route for England, the combined team made 575 in two innings; the the Austral.

GLADSTONE'S GOVERNMENT NOT LIRELY TO It is stated in well-informed circles that the Gladstone Government is not likely to last, owing to internal dissensions.

THE DEPRESSION IN ENGLAND. relieving the great depression among the working classes in England, has made an do not object to the scheme.

THE AUSTRALIAN BANK FAILURE. London, March 13. -The London creditors of the Commercial Bank of South Australia, which lately su-pended payment, have lodged a petition to wind up the affairs of the bank.

the London branch of the Commercial Bank first, after which came the Light Horse, sort; and I think a little attention might of South Australia amount to £250,000, the Artillery and the Infantry Volunteers. be paid to that. With regard to drill, there The Government of South Australia has a After all had passed the saluting base, the is nothing like making a lot of movements payable next Monday.

hed for two days with a severe cold. His holders of the Commercial Bank, pointed with the courtesy shown in placing them was marvellous how we got them to work. amalgamation with another bank. A pro- drill. He then shook hands with Lieutenant | the Artillery, well I do not know how two posal to this effect has been made to the Gilpatrick and went to review the Volun- of those ponies do to a gun but I suppose. Bank of Adelaide, but Mr Wilkinson, ma- teers The Americane then marched off the it is an expensive affair to the Municipality. nager, rejected it to day. It is understood field, and Lieutenant Gilpatrick took ad- They certainly draw them very well that Mr Crooks, ex-manager of the Com- vantage of the occasion, after a slight halt, but four would be better. I understand mercial Bank, who has been assisting in to put the men through a number of evolu- that the harness sent out to you the other the investigation of the books, will pro- tions while on the march; but the Police day does not fit? (Major Holliday.-No.

rehabilitating the bank.

pose of avoiding the liquidation of the bank, Chinese were rigidly kept out. nue the business of the bank.

port of the Committee of Investigation, ac- the public of Shanghai the fourth. cusing them of collusion and appropriation

of the Bank's funds. Mr Barr Smith has written to Young, of the Shanghai Volunteers, it has afforded the acting manager of the Commercial Bank of South Australia, advising him to presuade his Directors to confer with the head office of the Commercial Bank of Australia, with a view to amalgamating with that Bank. Mr Barr Snith also states that Crooks's confession is most imperfect, and that the effects of the bronchial affection from which | shareholders should know what has become of the money. Many believe that large sims have gone to advance the interests of

A petition has been filed in London for the compulsory winding up of that branch, and it is probable that Pleydell, the mana- I am colonel of a Volunteer regiment at ger, will come to Adelaide.

A large number of assignments and insolvencies have been announced, and more are expected daily. James Cowan, merchant, has called

069, assets £100 less than liabilities. Friday, March 26 .- At the Adelaide Po Australia, and Wilson, the accountant, were brought up, charged with embezzlement. Both the prisoners were committed for trial been released on bail; no application has been made on behalf of Wilson.

OF THE SHANGHAI VOLUNTEERS.

the Forces in Hongkong and the Straits

those of the men of the Omaha, who firing, and so on. Major Holliday will attended as an escort for General Cameron; know exactly what I mean. In every while thousands of Chinese thronged Volunteer force, although the mass of round the course. The whole Force the men may not have very much time mustered in the Central Police Com- to devote to soldiering, at all events pound at three o'clock a high percentage there must be some who will be able of every branch of the Corps turning out. to afford more time for it than others; The Artillery, under Captain Barnes Dal and the great thing is to have a certain las, with whom were Lieuts. Noel and La- mucleus—a certain number of officers—who mond, mustered 43 officers and men, man- are able to teach the others what to do. ning the four guns recently presented by Now as far as I can assist you I will do from Melbourne to Adelaide will take 18 the British Government. The Light Horse everything in my power; and if any of numbered 32, under command of Lieut de your officers come to Hougkong and want Malherbe and Adjutant Hough, Captain to learn, I will do everything in my power March 26. The matrimonial case which | Keswick being in attendance on General to help them. In England, as everybody has for some time been the stock scandal Cameron. Of the four infantry Companies, knows, a certain number of non-commis-

and Capt. Keswick, and individually in- me; but if something like the war game spected every member of the Corps. The could be got up, which contains all the whole Force then marched off to the Race- principles of war, I think it would be a It is stated that Bishop Wilberforce, of course by way of Honan and Nanking very good thing. Then I think it would

escort from his ship to accompany the liabit of changing your range and firing General and the offer had been accepted. Quickly at whatever object may be The escort consisted of 130 marines and presented; and I think you would like sailors, under the command of Lieut. W. W. the practice. With regard to attack prac-Gilpatrick, with Lieut. P. St. C. Murphy, as, tice, what you have been doing and I adjutant, and Lieutenants M. A. Shufeldt. think I said the same thing to you on Sa-C. H. Harlow, G. and W. Brown and Cadets turday-is mere drill; and that of course J. W. Tawresey and G. R. Evans. The has to be applied. You have to know escort merched along the bund up Foochow casetly what to do in all the circumstances Road to the corner of Honan Road, where of the different stages of the attack. That Australian Eleven made 420 in their first they waited a few minutes for the Volun- of course is not to be learnt in a day. I innings, and 102 for 6 wickets in their teer Light Horse to move. These were speak to a very intelligent community. I second innings. The match was declared followed along Honan Road and Nanking should say, in Shanghai. There must be The Weekly Dispatch has published Sir drawn, and the Australian Eleven left by Road to the Race Course in the following members here who have gone through the order :- General Cameron, with his Staff, training that is found necessary in foreign consisting of Captain Keswick, Light Horse, armies, and they will tell you that it takes

Lieutenant Semerville, A.D.C., and Lieu- more trouble perhaps to make a good soltenant Murphy, Adjutant; the Town Band, dier than any other profession. Now with under M. Vela; the American marines and regard to the cavalry, I understand you have sailors under Lieutenant Gilpatrick; Major no carbines; they have been applied for. Holliday, and the Volunteer Infantry; the but it has not been possible to supply them. The Imperial Parliament, with a view of rear being brought up by the Artillery. I hope we shall be able to get them for you. Messrs. P. Maclean, M. M. Moses and The Light Horse would of course be chiefly The Bieber, Councillors, went out to the used for scout purposes to do the reconoffer to pay the passages of artisans to the saluting base on the Race Course, and noitring and mounted work. We have to Australian Colonies, provided the Colonies after the troops had been inspected General teach our cavalry to do an enormous amount Cameron went up to the Councillors and in- of this work-all dismounting, one man troduced himself to them, shook hands, perhaps holding four or five horses, and the and said he was glad to have an oppor- others pouring in a rapid fire and then gettunity of inspecting their army, and that ting on their horses and off again. Now I he was much pleased with the kindness of hope you have thought of that, and that it the Americans in providing him with an is intended to train the cavalry in that sort esport. He then proceeded with the re- of work. I was told on Saturday that you London, Feb. 25.—The public deposits in view. The Americans marched past him had no outpost work, or anything of that

their manual and marching drill, and when the trot. I have had something like six Adelaide, March 13.-Mr R. Barr Smith, they had formed in line again he addressed battalions, and that is how we did. We them. He said he was very much pleased knocked them about at the trot and it

the Infantry first performing a number of March 18 .- Warrants were issued to-day | mancenvres in close order and then extendfor the arrest of Crooks and Wilson, for ing for the attack. The Artillery repreembezzling the Commercial Bank's funds. sented the opposing force, and after a vast themselves up. They will be brought be- expended the whole Corps were, shortly ed together, I could have watched you all fore the Magistrates to morrow. The before seven o'clock, drawn up in a square at once. Still, as I said before I am very charges upon which Wilson and Orooks around the Staff; the Infantry, Artillery have been arrested are based upon the r. - and Light Horse forming three sides, and

General Cameron said-Major Holliday.

officers, non-commissioned officers and men

me very great pleasure to come here and

inspect this Corps, composed, I believe, of

all nationalities, and forming a very good specimen of how well all people-Volunteers and others—pull together in this Settlement: Nothing could afford me greater pleasure than to see everybody shoulder to shoulder for the common good. Thave had a great deal to do with Volunteers. I had 73,000 under my command in the Northern District, representing one-third of all the Volunteers in England; and therefore I ought to know something about Volunteers. home, and I take the greatest interest in volunteering; and whatever I say you may depend upon it is said for their good. The best friend is always the one who speaks openly, and points out what there is to be meeting of his creditors; liabilities, £142, improved. Now, taking Volunteers in general-and I hope I am not spoaking humbug; I have got some about me who lice Court, on Friday last, Ocooks, late, have been with me in England, and who to the Police Compound, where they were manager of the Commercial Bank of South also know something about Volunteers-I dismissed, Major Holliday announcing that should say that on the whole you compare very favourably with most of the Volunteer Corps at home. You have a great deal to drills would if necessary be held for the at the Supreme Court. Crooks has since do here; and you cannot afford even the benefit of those who had not yet put in the same amount of time that the Volunteer has number qualifying for efficiency. In disat home. A good many Volunteers at home missing the men, Major Holliday remarked. manage to put in their sixty and seventy that Gemeral Cameron had perhaps been a GENERAL CAMERONS INSPECTION drills a year; and you do not do that, I know. I do not suppose there is any-The fact that His Excellency Major. body here who puts in much more than General Cameron, Commander-in-Chief of twenty. Am I right, Mr. Holliday !-(Major Holliday assented). - Now all the to create shall control the expenditure. It Suttlements, had offered to make a trip to Volunteers can expect to do in such a very is asserted that serious differences have Shanghai this season for the purpose of short time is to lay a good foundation—to season.—N.-C. D. News. arisen among some of the members of the personally inspecting our local Volunteer have a good system of instruction; so that Cabinet with regard to Mr. Gladstone's Corps, invested the annual inspection this if danger comes and you are called out, at year with an extraordinary degree of in. all events you have a good foundation to Trevelyan (Secretary for Scotland) and Mr terest. The Volunteers buckled energett. work upon. Now as far as I have seen-Joseph Chamberlain (President of the cally to their work in order to make as and I wish I had had more opportunity Local Government Board) have declared good a figure as possible in the eyes of of seeing you you have a very fair system their intention to resign if the Gladstone | the General ; and when it became known of instruction ; but there ought to be a that the date of His Excellency's return little more military shooting. You all fire to Hongkong rendered it necessary to hold simply like civilians-individual firing-Gladatone proposes to raise \$200,000,000 the inspection a few days before the time every man for himself. But you must re- Door entary 4 months sight, in consols for the purpose of buying out originally fixed, the officers redoubled their collect that nearly all military firing—all India, Wire, ...

a lecture, as a preliminary to practice on bo a very good thing to introduce Mor-Captain Selfridge, of the U.S.S. Omaha, riss's tubes. They are used everywhere has spontaneously offered to provide an now. They would get you into the

pound a scheme at Monday's meeting for arrangements on the Nanking Road were Sir). - Well, I must help you in that very bad, and the road was crowded with Write to me what you want, and I shall be March 15. The report of the directors traps, jinricahas, and wheelbarrows, so that very happy to do anything I can for you. of the Commercial Bank of South Australia, the evolutions could not be executed with- I think I have said all that I have to say : says that the directors have examined the out difficulty. Several collisions occurred, I did not come here to make speeches, and various accounts of the bank and estimate one brougham having the glass windows at I did not come here simply to inspect you. the losses from bal and doubtful debts and the back smashed, while a puny got into a I came to afford you instruction, and what fraudulent entries at £309,974 8s. 1d. jinricsha. It must, however, he stated assistance I could, in every way. Saturday After this sum has been written off, the as- that the orders to the Police at the Police was perhaps a more instructive day to ma sets-exceed the liabilities by £189,407 is Compound and Race Course were well exs- than to day; but I thought I should see 8d. The directors have had under their cuted. At the former place only the Volun- you all working together the three arms consideration various schemes for the pur- teers were admitted, and at the latter the of the service—cavalry, infantry and gons. Then we should have got through the work and they express the hope that, either by Meanwhile the Infantry under Major much quicker, and it would have been amalgamation with some other bank or by Holliday, the Artillery under Capt. Dallas, much simpler. But you apparently the issue of preference shares on deben- and the Light Horse under Lieut, de Mal- do not work together. I came here extures, arrangements may be made to conti- herbe, went through separate evolutions, pecting to see you a perfect little army. In fact I should have liked to have devoted a great deal more time to the infantry work; but then one is here, there and everywhere -- first having a look at the infantry, them at Both men anticipated arrest, and gave quantity of blank ammunition had been the guns and so on while if you had work-

> of the community. Mr. Peter Maclean, on behalf of the Municipal Council cordially thanked General Cameron for coming to Shanghai to inspect the Volunteers, and said he was. perfectly satisfied that the men would do. everything in their power to raise themselves to the level of the General's expecta-

much pleased to see so fine a body of man

together-with, I am quite sure, their hearts

in the right places; and I congratulate the

Municipality on having a body of fine fel-

ows willing to devote their time to the good

General Cameron deprecated the idea hat the Volunteers had not come up to his expectations; but he thought it was an imimportant thing to have a sound public opinion, and there were lots of people who seemed to think that a soldier could be made in a day. The Shanghai Volunteers had no doubt done as much as they could and they were the nicest lot of fellows he

had seen for a long time. The Corps, led by Mr Maclean, then gave three hearty cheers for the General. who bade them good evening and left with his staff. The Volunteers then marched this would finish the training season : but as the season had been cut short extra little rough on them-and especially on the officers—considering that the inspection had to be held before they were fully prepared for him; but this was better than giving them too much sugar. They would bear the lesson in mind for the next training

Exchange. Rongkong, April 6. Domand, ... 30 days sight 4 month sight, ...

30 days' sight, private 724

CHINESE QUESTION. Washington, March 2 .- The President sent the following message to Congress to-

To the Senate and House of Representatives It is made the Constitutional duty of the President to recommend to the consideration of Congress from time to time such measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient. In no matter can the necessity be more evident than when the good faith of the United States, under the solemn obligation of treaties with foreign powers, is concerned. The question of the treatment of subjects of China sojourning within the jurisdiction of the United States presents such a matter for the urgent and carnest consideration of the executive and Congress. In my first annual message upon the assemblage of the present Congress I adverted to this question. [The President here quotes a passage from his message upon the Chinese question and continues At the time I wrote this the shocking occurrences at Rock Springs, in Wyoming Territory, were fresh in the minds of all, and had been recently presented anew to the attention of this Government by the Chinese Minister in a note which, while not unnaturally exhibiting some miscenception of our general system of administration in the Territories, while they, as yet, are not in the exercise of the full measure of that sovereign self-government pertaining to States of the Union, presents in truthful terms the main features of the cruel outrage there perpetrated upon inoffensive subjects of China. In the investigation of the Rock Springs outbreak and the ascertainment of the facts on which the Chinese Minister's statements rest, the Chinese representatives were aided by agents of the United States, and the reports submitted, having been thus framed and recounting facts within the knowledge of witnesses on both sides, possess an important truthfulness which could not fail to give them

The facts, which so far are not controverted or affected by any exculpatory or mitigating testimony, show the murder of, a number of Chinese subjects in September last at Rock Springs, the wounding of many others and the spoliation of the property of all when the unhappy surviyors had been driven from their habita-There is no allegation that the victims, by any lawless or disorderly act on their part, contributed to bring about a collision. On the country, it appears that the law-abiding disposition of these people, who were sojourners in our midst under the sanction of hospitality and express treaty obligations, was made a pretext for on attack upon them. This outrage upon law and treaty engagements was committed by a lawless mob. None of the aggressors, happily for national good fame, appear by the reports to have been citizens of the United States. They were aliens, engaged in that remote district as mining laborers, who became excited against the Chinese laborers, us it would-seem, because of their refusal to join them in strikes to secure

impressiveness.

higher wages. The oppression of Chinese subjects by their rivals in competition for labor does not differ, except in violence, from that applied to other classes of native or alien labor. They are equally under protection of the law and equally entitled to enjoythe benefits of assured public order. Were there no treaty in existence referring to the rights of Chinese subjects-did they come hither as subjects, did they come hither as all other strangers who voluntarily resort to this land of freedom, of selfgovernment and of laws; here peaceably to win their bread and to live their livesthere can be no question that they would be entitled in the same measure of protection from violence and the same redress of their grievances as any other aliens.

So far as the treaties between the United States and China stipulate for the treatment of Chinese subjects on the same footing as those of the most favored nation, they create no new status for them. They simply recognize and confirm the general and existing rule applicable to all aliens alike, for none are favored above others by the domestic law, and none by foreign treaties, unless it be the Chinese themselves in some respects. For, by the third article of the treaty of November 17, 1880, between the United States and Ohina, it is provided that if Chinese laborers, or Chinese of any other class, now either permanently or temporarily residing in territory of the United States, meet with ill treatment at the hand of any other persons the Government of the United States will exert all its power to devise measures for their protection and to secure to them the same rights, privileges, immunities and exemptions as may be enjoyed by citizens or subjects of the most favored nation, and to which they are entitled by This article may be held to constitute a special privilege for the Chinese subject in the United States as compared with other aliens, not that it creates any peculiar rights which the others do not share, but because in case of ill treatment of the Chinese in the United States this Government is bound to exert all its power to degise measures for their protection by securing to them rights to which equally with any and all other foreigners they are

Whether it is now incumbent upon the | Sopa United States to amend their general laws or | TONIO devise new measures, in this regard I do not consider in the present communication, but confine myself to the particular point raised by the outrage and massacre at Rock The note of the Chinese Minister and the documents which accompany it give as its belief an unexaggerated statement of the lamentable incident, and presents impressively the regrettable circumstances that the proceedings in the name of justice for the ascertainment of the crime and fixing the responsibility therefor were a ghastly mockery of justice. So long as the Chinese the basis of an appeal to the principles and | the Company's FOREMEN should be at taking as his precedent the action of the receive prompt attention. Chinese Government in the past, instances where the lives of American citizens and necessary, Communication with the Undertheir property in 'China have been endan- signed is requested, when immediate steps gered, argues a reciprocal obligation on the part of the United States to indemnify the Chinese subjects who suffered at Rock Springs, it becomes necessary to meet his argument and to deny most emphatically the conclusions he seeks to draw as to the existence of such liability and the right of the Chinese Government to insist upon it.

I draw the attention of Congress to the latter part of the note of the Secretary of State of February 18, 1886, in reply to the Chinese Minister's representations, and invite special consideration of the cozent reasons by which he reaches the conclusion that whilst the United States Government is under no obligation, whether by the (FORMERLY ARTICLED APPRENTICE AND LATexpress terms of its treaty with China or the principles of international law, to indemnify these Chinese subjects for losses caused by such means and under the admitted circumstances, yet that, in view of the palpable and discreditable failure of the authorities of Wyoming Territory to bring to justice the guilty parties, or to insure to the sufferers an impartial forum in which to seek and obtain compensation for the losses which those subjects have incurred by the lack of police protection; and considering. further, the entire absence of provocation or contribution on the part of the victims, the

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND ON THE Executive may be induced to bring the matter to the benevolent consideration of Congress, in order that that body in its high discretion, may direct the bounty of the Government in aid of the innocent and peaceful strangers whose maltreatment has brought discredit upon the country, with the distinct understanding that such action is in no wise to be held as a prece-

dent. This, however, is wholly gratuitous, and is resorted to in a spirit of pure generonity toward those who are otherwise helpless. The correspondence exchanged is herewith submitted for the information of

The correspondence between the Socretary of State and the Chinese Minister, referred to in the President's message, is an exhaustive statement of the whole Chinese question, and its main points are fully covered in the message.

For Sale.

FOR SALE 500 BARRELS CEMENT, from TUNNEL PORTLAND CEMENT WORKS. Wost In Lots to suit Purchasers.

> Apply to G. RAYNAL,

1. Stanley Street. Hongkong, April 2, 1886.

FOR SALE.

TULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND

WHITE WINES. Baxter's Celebrated Barley Bres WHISKY, -\$71 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, July 18, 1884. To Let.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE in CASTLE ROAD No. 1 Apply to the Spanish Procuration, No. 14, Caine Road. Torms moderate. Possession on the first of the month.

RICHMOND TERRACE, TO BE LET.

Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

HOUSE, cool in Summer, with Four A Good Rooms, Dressing Room, Three Bath Rooms, and convenient Out Offices, in thorough order.

Apply to J. D. HUMPHREYS, 22, Queen's Road Central. Honzkong, April 1, 1886.

TO BE LET-FURNISHED.

Very Comfortable HOUSE, with Six Rooms, Dressing Room, Library, Three Bath Rooms, convenient Out Offices, due notice will he given of any stoppages. Tonnis Courts, and Garden. For Nine months from May next.

Apply to J. D. HUMPHREYS, 22, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, April 1, 1886.

TO LET.

FIVE-ROOMED HOUSE at the PEAK, Good TENNIS GROUND attached. Apply to

DENNYS & MOSSOP. Hongkong, January 28, 1886. TO LET.

TOOMS in 'College CHAMBERS.' Nos. 2, 4 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, March 27, 1886.

Intimations.

GRIFFITH'S VIEWS OF

NOW READY, 1, DUDDELL STREET. GRIFFITH & Co..

MANUFACTURERS

OF THE LONDON ÆRATED WATERS, 1, DUDDELL STREET, Continue to Supply:

LEMONADE, GINGEBADE. RASPBERRYADE, dec., dec., dec. At the same Moderate Charges.

Hongkong, June 9, 1885.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon Minister under his instructions, makes this their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of convictions of mankind, no exceptions can hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the be taken, but when he goes further, and HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will

In the Event of Complaints being found

D. GILLIES, Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

DENTISTRY

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon Dentist TERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.) T the urgent request of his European and American patients and freends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occapied by Dr. Rocks,

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Address 2. DUDDELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 19, 1885.

Intimations.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Chromometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths. TAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL

INSTRUMENTS. VOIGTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. Christofle & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY,

in great variety. DIAMONDS DIAMOND JEWELLERY,

1 Splendid Collection of the Latest London PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742 JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s

PIERS AND GODOWNS,

WEST POINT. ".=

/ HESE are now in Working Order,and Cargo Received and STORED at Cheap from this for LONDON, vid BOMBAY The GODOWNS are two storied, dry,

airy, and well suited for the STORAGE of SILK, COTTON and WOOLLEN PIECE GOODS, ES Well AS GENERAL MERCHANDISE. Advances made on Cargo stored. For Rates and further Particulars, apply

to the MANAGER, or to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1885. THE HONGKONG DAIRY.

MAR. KENNEDY having received IVI number of First Class MILCH COWS is again in a position to SUPPLY his old quetomers and the Community with FRESH

Orders sent to the REPOSITORY will be ounctually attended to. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

WINTER TIME TABLE. THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STRAM-LAUNCH MORNING STAR Runs Daily as a FERRY BOAT between Peddar's Wharf and Tsim-Tsa-Tsui at the following hours:-This Time Table will take effect from the 20TH OCTOBER, 1885.

WEEK DAYS. Leaves K'loon, Leaves H.K. Leaves K'loon, Leaves H.K. 6.15 A.M. 7.15 A.M. 6.15 A.M. 7.15 A.M. 8.30 ,, 7.30 ,, 8.00 ,, 9.00 ,, 9.00 ,, 11.00 , 12.30 P.M. 12.30 P.M. 1.00 P.M. 5.25 - ,, 5.40 , 6.15 ,

* There will be no Launch on Monday and Friday, on account of coaling. The above Time Table will be strictly adhered to, except under unavoidable circumstances. In case of stress of weather,

6.40

Insurances. SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-SINGAPORE.

177E are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE on usual terms at Current Rates. All Contributors of business, whether Shareholders or not, are entitled to Share in the Return Fare. These allowances do not apply Bonus. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, July, 1885. THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTEF OF His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

/ THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as fellows :-Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Porta HONGKONG of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department. Policies issued for forig or short periods at urrent rates. Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WELF & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on 957 Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board. Wessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re ports. ceived, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single day previous to sailing.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

NOTICE. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Godowns at 1 destined to ports beyond San Francisc per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 19, 1881. THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, at current ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, November 5, 1883.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to Insure

against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1882,

Mails.



SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR BRINDISI, TRIESTÉ, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B.-Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK

AND BOSTON. SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship STEAMERS are now in Working Order,— HYDASPES, Captain G. SCRIVENER, with STEAMERS are BERTHED at the Wharf, Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the 13th April, at 4 p.m. Cargo will be received on board until

10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Ton and General Cargo for London will be conveyed vid Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct

route via Colombo. For further Particulars FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINGULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIOA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. Passengers desirous of insuring their baggage can do so on application at the Company's Office.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for MARSEILLES. A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 31, 1886. U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOROHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

MIRE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF PEKING will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on WED-NESDAY, the 14th April, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. . Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-

portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demorara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)

within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 % will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from to through fares from Uhina and Japan to

Freight will be received on board until p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office unti 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Hongkong, March 23, 1886

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA AND EUROPE, THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. THE Steamship SAN PABLO will be

despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 24th Instant, at 3 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohania, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received If required, protection will be granted on at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the

RETURN PASSAGES. - Passengers, W have paid full fare, re-embarking at Sa Francisco for China or Japan (or vice verse within six months, will be allowed a discour of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking 100 within one year, an allowance of 10 % wi be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid R. turn Passage Orders, available for one yea will be issued at a Discount of 25, % from Return Fare. These allowances do not app to through fares from China and Japan

Consular Invoices to accompany Care should be sent to the Company's Office. addressed to the Collector of Customs, Si Francisco.

For further information as to Freig or Passage, apply to the Agency of t Company, No. 501, Queen's Road Centre C. D. HARMAN Agent.

Hongkong, April 3, 1886. NOW PUBLISHED.

DUDDHISM: ITS HISTORICA D THEORETICAL AND POPULAR ASPECTS, ERNEST J. EITEL, Pa.D., Tubing THIED EDITION.

REVISED, WITH ADDITIONS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, August 20, 1884

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into teenth Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf

3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.

6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Navel Yard. 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 9. From Kelleit's Island to North Point.

10. Kowloon Wharves.

3	Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Captain.	Flag (Rig		Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Cansigners or Agents	Destination.	Remarks.
	Steamers			-1-	-3-10-j	·				
1	Airlio	7	Ellis	Brit.	str.	1492		Russell & Co.		
1	Albany	3	Porter	Brit.	str.	1484	April .	Adamson, Bell & Co.		T .
E	Alwine	2	Moos	Ger.	str.					To-morrow Laid up
1	Amatesta	21	Phiegon	Brit. Ger.	str.			Russell & Co. Wieler & Co.		To-day
1	Arratoon Apcar	5 1	Mactavish	Brit.	str.				Calcutta	13th inst.
1	Ascalon	3	c Marria	Ger.	str.	1523	Mar. 31	Siemssen & Co.		Chair Day
10	Jamelot		Daily	EII.	str.			Bun Hin Chan		K'loon Dock K'loon Dock
	Camorta							Jardine, Matheson & Co. Morris & Ray	A	
1	China	3	c Haye	Ger.	Str.			Butterfield & Swire		
1	City of Peking	4	k Dearborn	Amer.	str.	5079	April "	P. M. S. S. Co.	Y'hama & SanF'eisco	14th inst.
10	llievedon	. 3	c Johnson	Brit.	str.			Siomsson & Co.		Philosophia Paris
1	Devenshire Diamante	5	cirutvis	Brit,	str.			5 Russell & Co. 5 Russell & Co.	Amoy & Manila	To-morrow
li	Dicky	4	k Hochreuter	Ger	str.			Wieler & Co.		n years of the
	Fokien	. 5	h Goddard	. Brit.	str.	609	April	6 Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow	
	Fooksang	. 5	c Hogg	. Brit.	str.			6 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
1	Galley of Lorne	O.	c Fomroy	No.	str.		April April	6 Russell & Co. 1 Eduard Schollhass & Co.	Saigon	To-day
-14	Ganger Rolf	J.B	c Gasson	. Brit.	str.	_	April	6 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	
H	(lencaro	. 3	ciPark	.Brit.	str.	1469	Mar. 2	8 Jardine, Matheson & Co.		V.U. S. S. S. S. S.
	Grafton	. 3	c Seaborne	. Brit.	str.		Feb. 1	6 Captain	Grant Dants	8th inst.
	Haiphong	.0	h Harris	Brit.	str.	1 -	April Mar.	5 Douglas Steamship Co. 3 Adamson, Bell & Co.	Coast Ports Saigon	To-day
1	Japaneso Johann	9	e Bingo	Ger	str.			5 Wieler & Co.		
	Khiva	12	h Bason	Brit.	str.	1609	April	1 P. & O. S. N. Co.	S'apore & Bombay	8th inst.
٠ ١	Madras		: Plenge	Brit.	str.	1096	Mar. 1	1 Siemssen & Co.	Chambai	K'loon Dock
- 1	Marcia	\cdot 2	c Gardoyne	Brit.	str.			4 Siemssen & Co. 4 Russell & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
1	Mark Lane Merionethshire	. 3	c Porter	Brit.	str.	1245		Adamson, Bell & Co.	Saigon	To-day
Ί.	Nanshan	3	c'Blackbourne .	Brit.	str.		4.0	3 Hop Hing Hong	Swatow	To morrow
-	Partridge	3	o Staver	Brit.	str.	254	April	ö Gibb, Livingston & Co.	TO 1	1000
- 1	Panic	18	C	Chi.	str.			4 Chinese 3 Wieler & Co.	Repairing Wanchai	1 X 4 1 11
1	Picciola Pilot Fish	3	ontoni	Cier.	str. tug.		- Pa	2 H. K. & W. Dock Co.		The work w
	Thames	اء أدد	Seaton	Brit.	str.	2131	Feb. 2	7 P. & O. S. N. Co.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Ab'deen Dock
	Tritos	2	o Bleichen	Ger.	str.	1400	Mar.	1 Ed. Schellhass & Co.	Saigon	To-day
	Vortigern	3	d Brown	Brit.	str.		. de	5 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 29 P. & O. S. N. Co.	Bombay, &c.	
3	Zambesi	0	OCOI8	Drit.	str.	TOAU	mrst.	DELECT DIETI OU		
	Sailing Vessels	,	A DATE OF	3	,	1.				o to the state of the
₇	_	1					T	(O. 17		
r	Annie Johnson	3	c Hall	Amer	bqe.	947 957		18 Kwang Ying Chong 23 Douglas Steamship Co.	1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1	Harry Carlot Harry
	Arabia	4	C-LOST	Clar	bge.			30 Carlowitz & Co.	Hamburg	A Course Manhor the Shipping Street
,	Breeze	7	ckobinson	Bm.	san.		Feb.	26 Captain		
"	Caliators	18	h Manson	Brit.	an.	1854	Mar.	15 Russell & Co.		
<u>, </u>	Contant	4	k Offersen	Ger	b-qe.	468	April	2 Wieler & Co. 13 Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Havre & London	
ا بِ	Channel Queen Cheshire	3	Ribe Lacheur Old Pichard	Brit.	boe.	1307	Mar.	6 Order	ANTAG W ANALYM	
a j	Coloredo	18	c Wyman	Amei	boe .	. 1036	Jan.	15 Pustau & Co.	New York	State State
: -	Cottardin	18	k Lorenzo	Italia	m bge	, 810	Mar.	IUD. Musso & Co.	Singapore	
ĩ	C. F. Sargent	18	c Atherton	Amei	r, sh	1638	Jan.	15 Order	ed from a soft of the	The Water Steen
ã	Delfine	.7.18	h Brignati	1tal.	pqe	204		23 Jardine, Matheson & Co. 12 Melchers & Co.	Bassein	
	Elizabeth Nicholson.	č	Grierson	Brit.	bqe		Mar.	11 Order	and the second s	rija (prilita j. 150 alija ilik Tala) Arti organistika ilikologija ilik Tala
0	Ellon A Rend	8	l o!Hatfield	Brit.	8.0	1750	Jan.	26 Order	New York	The State
4	Weardison	8	hiJumpfer	Ger.	soh	74	Mar.			And Specification
0	Tend D Titchfield	3	l kiBartlett	Ame	r. bae	. 1042	Mar.	20 Order 22 H. J. H. Tripp.		
n	Freeman	100	k ki filika danasa da da] A me	r. 8.5	1 1 1 1 1 2 4	L Pab.	24 Douglas Ladraik & Co.		The state of the state of
(Chant Admiral	15	k Thompson	Ame	r. sh	. 1498	Oct.	9 Order		
10	The state of the second	100 15	t of Day	A me	r. ah		Jan.	13 Meichers & Co.	San Francisco	
ñ	Haring		kiBinge	Ger.	· bae	. 784	Feb.	b Gonsalves & Co.	Honolulu	
8~	John Currier		Riblethen	Ame	r. 80 r. ah	1805	Jan. Mar.	2 Order 22 Butterfield & Swire		
r,	Managaratha	15	h Wiggers	Ger.		1278	Mar.	14 Siemssen & Co.		
m.	Malheel	14	i cilighthody	IBrit.	DOE	3.L 607	Diar.	20 Melchera & Co.		
y to	Manager	14	T RELEADING CARREST	A . A Ph. 11110	E DI	la / A. A. B. B. C	Mar.	3 Meichers & Co.	The second of the second	. The response in
	Mount Lebanon	[2 c.Nelson	Am.	bqtine	s. ∴ 530) April	3 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 16 Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	New York	The second second
4	N. Gibson Paul	I'	i hiHunerloh	Ger.	bae	744	Mar.	4 Siemssen & Co.	Bangkok	
el Hil	Speak	4	4 o Malcolm	Brit.	bae	s. 1308	Jan.	22 Russell & Co.	San Francisco	and the second
es es	Wandaring Tour	141	4 k Nichols	Ame	r, si	ı. 1650	Nov.	30 Captain		医圆头虫 化原基
16	1 1	1				1	·			pa mada mada a ja
,5			4 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -	4		V.			The state of the s	An interior

Her Britannic Majesty's Ships in the China Squadron.

Name,	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Albatross	composite screw sloop	940	4 12	840	Commander Chas. Hicks	Shanghai
Audacious*	double-screw iron frigate	6010	10	4330	Capt. Robert Hastings Harris	Cruising
hampion	corvette	2380	14 ~	2340	Captain A. T. Powlett	Yokohama
leopatra	corvette	2880	14	2610	Captain L. C. Keppel	Port Hamilton
ockchafer	gunboat	465	4	470	Lieut. Com. H. H. Boteler	Forobox
Constance	corvette	2380	14	2590	Capt. Seymour Dacres	Hongkong
	composite alcop	940	4	920	Commander Davis	Singapore
Daring	double-screw gumboat	360	3 .	340		In reserve
Esk	gunboat	465	4	470	Lieut, Com. H. R. Adams	Port Hamilton
Espoir	gunboat	455	4	460	LieutCom. D. L. Dickson	Hoihow
Firebrand		940	a sa sananan	840	Captain J. P. Maclear	Manile
Flying Fish	corvette	8700	10	5000	Captain-M. J. Dunlop	Hongkong
Leander Linnet	double-screw gun-vessel	756	5	- 1050	Commander W. Marrack	Chefor
Merlin	gunboat	430	4	480	LieutCom. W. M. Maturin	Singapore
	double-screw gun-vessel	603	1.4	470	Commander H. J. Robilliard	Hongkong
Midge	composite screw sloop	1130	6	970	Act. Com. A. M. Farquhar	Shanghai
Pegasus	sloop	830	3	690	Commander W. U. Moore	Shanghat
Rambler	corvette	1970	12	2360	Captain R. G. Kinahan	Cruising
Sapphire	double-screw gun-yessel -	756	5 .	1010	Commander A. C. B. Bromley	Hongkong
Swift	double-screw gunboat	360	3	340		In reserve
I weed	receiving ship	5157	14	A	Commodors Morant	Hongkong
Victor Emanuel	paddle despatch-vessel	1000	. 2	1230	LieutCom. P. Hoskyns	Ortising
Vigilant	gunboat	925	44	750	Captain Orford Churchill	Port Hamilton
Wanderer	turret-ship	2750	4	1450	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	In reserve
Wivern Zephyr	gunboat	438	. 4	530	LieutCom. Chas. K. Hope	Hongkong

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Vesey Hamilton, Commander-in-Chief. For H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns,	B.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Africa	Portuguese corvette · ~	1400		- 1	Captain Costa	Hongkong
Mert	U. S. corvette	1020	4	800	Commander C. J. Barclay	Hongkong
	French gunboat	470	4	1.45 S 352	LieutCommander Jonquieres	Saigon
Aspic- Atalante	French frigate	3825	12	_	Captain Trève	Saigon
Comète	French gun-vessel	483	2	** *** **** ***	Lieut -Commander Noirot	Haiphong :
	French cruiser	861	-	<u>-1</u> -1	Captain de Montesquon	Yokohama
Decres Decres	The state of the s	1300	G	980	Comdr. Lemeruer Moussaux	Yokohama
Duchaffant	French cruiser	420	A	340	Lieut -Commander Hofmeyer	Hongkong
Iltis	German gunboat	200	2		LieutCommander Fouet	Haiphong
Jaguar	French gunboat	1904	10	1918	Commander St. Maurice	Saigon
Laclocheterie	French corvette	2300	15		Capt. Mequet	Saigon
La Perouse	French corvette		4	100	Captoin Duval	Haiphong
Lutin	French gunboat	470	15		Captain Puech	Keelung
Magon	French corvette	2400	10		Luis Bayoy Hernandes Pinron	Hongkong
Manila	Spanish transport	650	8	1000	Commander Merrill Miller	Shanghai
Marion	U. S. corvette	1900		750	Commander F. J. Higginson	Canton
Monocacy	U. S. gunboat	1375	10	80	Commander Moltsoff	Shanghal
Morge	Russian gunboat	400	***		Commander Rötger	Atnoy
Nautilus	German gunboat	716	4	600		Shanghai
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	12	000	Capt. Thos. O. Selfridge	Yokohama
Ossipes	U. S. corvette	1875	1	800	Commander J. J. McGlinsey	Chemulpo
Palos	U. S. gunboat	808	6	500	Lieut. Com. Thomas Nelson	
Pluvier	French gunboat	480	_	_	Lieut. Commander Coidlous	Haiphong Yokohama
Primauguot	French corvette	2200	15	_	Captain M. Buge	
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	539	5	3 m 7 7	LieutCom Raphaeld Andrade	Hongkong
Roland	French cruiser	2500	15		Captain Mayet	Amoy
Saone	French corvette	1700	4	· · · · ·	Commander W. Monin	Saigon
Seevoch	Russian cruises	1115	_	-	Commander Suctifieff	Nagasaki
Tamega	Portuguese gunboat	500	- 5		Captain Avila	Macao
Trenton	U. S. frigate	\$900	11	3900	Captain R. L. Phythian	Yokohama
Turenne	French frigate	1830	- 11	-	Ceptain Dupuis	Amor
Vipere	French gunboat	470	4		LieutCommander Lapeyrere	Canton

Printed and published by GRO. MURRAY BAIN, at the China Mail Office, No. 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.